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WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

G. T. STRONACH,

COTTON FACTOR

Wholesale and Retail Grocer

DEALER IN HARNESS,

SHOES, SADDLERY, FARMING UTENSILS, BOOTS,

Wholesale Dealer in Whiskies, Brandies and a fine supply of Family Liquors always on draft.

Corn Whiskey warranted to be the best, Bumgardner's Pure Rye.

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MARKET ST., RALEIGH, N. C.

nov 8-tf

W. H. JONES & CO.,

AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

RALEIGH, N. C.

sept 27-tf

PEELER COTTON SEED.

Genuine Peeler Cotton Seed for sale by the bushel, a small lot.

W. H. JONES, & CO.

dec 7-tf Comm. Merchants.

CORN, CORN.

300 Bushels Corn for sale.

dec 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

FLOUR.

The best "Delaware Family" Flour equal to any; also No. 1, N. C. Family Flour.

dec 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

N. C. CHEESE.

From the "Elk Mountain Cheese Factory."

dec 24-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

FOR SALE.

ONE BEAUTIFUL ENAMELLED, LEATHER Top new Buggy cheap.

Apply to

dec 30-tf WM. H JONES & CO,

MEAL MEAL.

No 1 White Corn Meal, Just to hand.

dec 24-tf W H. JONES & CO.

Groceries, &c.

100 SACKS LIVERPOOL FINE SALT, "Worthington."

100 Bags Shot.

100,000 G. D and Water-proof Caps.

500 lbs F F F Powder.

50 kegs Old Dominion Nails.

40 bbls. Refined Brown and E. I. Sugars.

25 sacks Rio, Lag. and Java Coffee.

200 lbs. best Brands Green and Black Tea.

25 boxes Brown Soap.

25 " Candles.

20 kegs and boxes Soda, and Starch.

50 Reams Wrapping Paper.

In Store at

oct 8-tf B. F. WILLIAMSON'S.

FLOUR.

50 Barrels "R. A. Jenkins" Family Flour.

25 " " extra "

equal to any Flour in this market, in Store and to be sold on shippers account.

nov 25-tf B. F. WILLIAMSON.

LARD.

25 Fifty pound Packages best Lard,

5 Tierces " "

nov 25-tf B. F. WILLIAMSON.

WHISKIES.

Choice North Carolina Whiskies and Brandies on Draft, I know them to be safe and I keep no other.

nov 25-tf B. F. WILLIAMSON.

NEW ARRIVAL.

NEW GOODS.

NEW STORE,

CORNER WILMINGTON AND MARTIN Streets, East of Market Square.

UPCHURCH & DODD,

ARE NOW

SAFELY located on the Corner of Wilmington and Martin streets where they have a large new Store and are just receiving a large Stock of Groceries to which they invite the attention of their friends and the public generally. Country Merchants especially invited to examine their Stock. They have now on hand, and are daily receiving,

Coffee, Teas, Sugars, Bacon, Lard, Molasses, Flour, Rice, Starch, Cooking Soda, Spices, Apple Cider Vinegar, Snuff, Tobacco Leather Sole and Upper, Leather Harness, Axes, Long Handle Shovels, Pocket Cutlery, Cotton Yarns, 4 4 Sheetings, Spool Thread, Iron for farming purposes, Water Buckets, Soda Crackers, Lemon Crackers, Tea Cakes, Shoe Blacking, Brooms, Candles, Mullets, Lime, Paper Collars, Needles and Pins, Brandy Peaches, Candy, Raisins, Rosin Soap, Amber Laundry Soaps, Spices, Cotton Cards, Concentrated Lye, Trace Chains, Coffee Mills, Horse Shoes, Mule shoes, Nails, G. D. Caps, W. P. Caps, Musket Caps, Gun Powder, Shot, &c. &c.,&c.

dec 4-tf

P. C. CHRISTOPHERS,

DEALER IN

FAMILY GROCERIES,

NORTH SIDE OF MARKET SQUARE, [Stone Building recently occupied by Jeff. Fisher.]

RALEIGH, N. C.,

HAS JUST RECEIVED A NICE LOT OF Family Groceries: N. C., Va. and Western Bacon, North Carolina and Baltimore City Lard, A superior lot of North Carolina Flour. Also Corn, Meal, Mackerel by the kit and Mullets by the barrel and in small quantities to suit families. Also Superior Western New York

DAIRY BUTTER,

Which I will keep on hand regularly. Call and examine it.

oct 8-dtf

RALEIGH NATIONAL BANK OF NORTH CAROLINA.

RALEIGH, N. C. Dec. 15th 1869.

THE regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the "Raleigh National Bank of North Carolina" will be held in their Banking House in this City on the second Tuesday in January 18.0, being the 11th day of the month at 10 o'clock A. M.

P. A. WILEY Cashier.

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL GROCERS.

LYNN ADAMS,

WHOLESALE & RETAIL

GROCER,

COTTON FACTOR, COMMISSION, SHIPPING AND FORWARDING MERCHANT.

AND DEALER IN

Iron, Hardware, Plows, Shoes, Dry Goods and Cotton Yarn,

No. 5 Market Square, South Side,

RALEIGH, N. C.

I RETURN MY THANKS FOR THE VERY liberal patronage extended to me by my friends and the public generally, for the last 30 years, and hope, by strict and prompt attention to all business entrusted to me, to merit the confidence of the public, and the influence of my friends. An experience of 30 years will enable me to attend strictly to all shipments and consignments.

All letters of inquiry promptly answered, and best possible information furnished.

Refers to the principal business men of the State. aug 25-3m

MARYLAND AND NORTH CAROLINA Flour in Store and for sale by

nov 26-tf LYNN ADAMS.

Lime! Lime!! Lime!!!

80 BARRELS FOR PLASTERING PURposes &c. in Store. For sale by

nov 26-tf LYNN ADAMS.

50 BARRELS FLOUR IN Store and for sale by LYNN ADAMS.

nov 26-tf

100

WHISKY,

WHISKY,

WHISKY,

100 BARRELS JUST RECEIVED.

COME AND SEE,

NORTH CAROLINA CORN

WHISKEY,

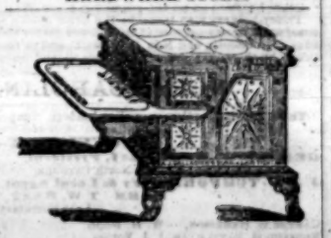
BUMGARDNER RYE WHISKY PURE N. C. " "

Our PRICES are the LOWEST, our Whisky warranted to be just as it is represented. Compete with Northern markets or Distillery prices.

G. T. STRONACH,

dec 18-tf Wholesale Liquor Dealer

HARDWARE STORE.



STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!

STOVES OF ALL KINDS,

TIN AND SHEET IRON WORK MADE TO ORDER.

JULIUS LEWIS.

dec 20-tf

CROSS CUT AND CARPENTERS SAWS.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF CARPENters tools.

dec 20-tf JULIUS LEWIS,

CUTLERY.

100 BOZEN Pocket Knives. 60 dozen Knives and Forks. Cutlery of all kinds.

dec 20-tf JULIUS LEWIS.

HOLLOW WARE.

A LARGE LOT JUST Received. An extensive stock of House Furnishing Goods.

dec 20-tf JULIUS LEWIS.

25 SACKS COFFEE.

dec 30-tf G. T. STRONACH.

BACON. BACON.

A large supply of SMOKED SIDES. " " RULE " " SHOULDERS.

Also a nice lot of HAMS.

Just received at

dec 31 tf UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

FLOUR. FLOUR. FLOUR.

100 Barrels of excellent SUPER FLOUR. Just arrived at

dec 31-tf UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

CANDY. CANDY

50 Boxes assorted Stick Candy. Just received at

dec 31-tf UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

PRIZE CANDY.

A Prize in every box 10 Gross just received,

dec 31- UPCHURCH & DODD.

PESCUD, LEE & CO.

Wholesale Druggists AND Manufacturing Pharmaceutists.

No. 14, FAYETTEVILLE ST., RALEIGH, N. C.

ARE now offering at very low prices, to the Wholesale and Retail trade,

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS, DYE STUFFS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES &c.

dec 16-tf

SELECT BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,

HILLSBORO' N. C.

Misses Nash and Kollock, Principals.

THE Spring Term of 1870 will open its February, and continue twenty weeks. Circulars, forwarded on application.

dec 14-sw2m

The Daily Sentinel.

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

From the San Francisco Chronicle, Dec. 23.

KLOPEMANIA.—A SINGULAR CASE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

Three or four months ago, a woman who gave the name of Kate Smith, was arrested in connection with several extensive larcenies which had at various times been committed at the residences of some of our citizens. A noticable fact in connection with them was, that at about the same time a woman, dressed completely in black had been seen around the premises. With this clue the detectives went after "The Woman in Black." She was arrested and admitted all that was charged against her.

She gave the name of Kate Smith, but was known under several aliases. She is twenty-eight years of age, about four feet six inches in height, and is very prepossessing in appearance. She has good conversational powers and converses on all subjects with great fluency. She is a native of Ireland and came to this country when quite young. Fourteen years ago she was first arrested on a trifling offence and has since been frequently before police tribunals in New York. This was kept up until a few years ago, when she made her crowning effort by stealing $18,000 in United States Treasury notes from a banking firm in New York. For this she was convicted and sentenced to imprisonment in the State Prison at Sing Sing for two years and six months. She was subsequently pardoned out and about a year ago came to this State. During the trial in the County Court yesterday two fine looking children were standing by her side. They are of a family of three, all of whom are in the city.

The first witness called to the stand for the prosecution was Mrs. Dannenberg. She testified to having lost a large quantity of wearing apparel and a set of diamond jewelry valued at $1,500; it was presented by her husband; did not know what he paid for it, but assume that $1,500 was it lowest value; do not know whose money paid for it, mine or my husband's; am a sole trader.

The chief of the detective police of the city testified to having arrested the prisoner, and stated that she had confessed to the Dannenberg larceny, and also to several others. The aggregate of the different robberies was about $20,000. Several other witnesses testified to the confession.

The prisoner was then placed on the stand, and testified as follows:—

My name is Kate White; I am twenty eight years of age; have been married eleven years; left the East one year ago in October; from my earliest remembrance I have at times been addicted to stealing; nearly always stole jewelry; sometimes could manage to overcome this desire for a year at a time; again it would come upon me with such force that there was no resisting it; I cannot tell how much I have stolen in this city—a great lot; since I was fifteen or sixteen years of age I have been subject to convulsions; the children in court are mine; the other is at my mother's; when arrested some keys were found on me; do not know if they are skeleton keys; when I entered Mrs. Dannenberg's room I went to the bureau and took the articles that were found; took no diamonds; never saw any; found the key to the lady's room on a hook in the hall; opened the bureau with a key of my own; I was convicted of robbery in New York and sent to Sing Sing for two and a half years; was sent for a bond robbery; the amount stolen was $18,000; was afterwards pardoned on the ground of insanity; it was so stated in the pardon; the feeling comes over me with trembling, and if I am at work I have to leave it and steal something; never plan thefts; was only punished once; I stole silverware from Mr. Ayers; erased the name as I was going to keep the spoons; in New York I was always excused when my misfortunes was made known; my husband often paid for what I took; have always owned up my thefts; sometimes destroy the stolen property, and often gave it away; had an uncle that was known as "Mad Larry;" he was so called for his semi-insane manner, never got over $300 for all I have stolen; the bonds were stolen from a man by the name of Haffner; was going home from work when I went into his office and took them; I threw $1 300 into the East river; when I was arrested in this city I did not tell Captain Lees that I was a fool for surrendering the bonds, and that I would have a "stake" when I got clear; Captain Lees has been very unkind to me since my arrest; could speak of three weeks during which he subjected me to ——, but I do not wish to state what; when I threw the bonds into Fulton ferry I was in the custody of the owner; I never stole in the night.

Mrs. Dooley, the mother of the prisoner, was then sworn. She testified to the same facts and circumstances relating to insanity as her daughter. She stated that the daughter had told her that most of the articles were presented from her beaux; her real name was Ellen Gibbons; her husband was on the police in New York; was dismissed on account of his dissolute habits; she has always been subject to these attacks.

A speck of war in the East. The Egyptian Viceroy persists in treating with contempt the demands of his suzerain at Constantinople, and yesterday the rage of the Sublime Porte ran over. He has forwarded to Alexandria a violent message, commanding Ismail Pacha to abandon his iron clad fleet. If the Viceroy feels strong enough to strike for independence, there will shortly be throat cutting in the Levant. The extraordinary coolness with which he has hectored his peppery master indicates a mind contented with the prospects of a future struggle.

CRATER LAKE, in the Cascade Mountains is one of the greatest curiosities in Oregon. It is ten by twenty miles, and seems like a gigantic well scooped out in the heart of the mountains. The walls are nearly perpendicular, average two thousand feet in height, and run sheer into the water, leaving no beach at all. The lake is never ruffled by the wind, and its depth is unknown, as thus far no person has been upon its surface.

A NOVEL THEORY.—A Mr. Walker puts forth the theory that indigestion is the cause of corns, and proceeds to sustain that view by giving his personal experience. When he was moderate in diet, his feet even in tight shoes did not hurt, but on dining heavily the pain of the corns became unbearable.

MERCHANT TAILOR.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF NEW AND FASHIONABLE GOODS AT

E. BESSON'S,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

West Side Fayetteville St.,

Opposite the New Market House.

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND A FULL assortment of

CLOTHS,

CASSIMERES,

BEAVER CLOTH,

DOESKIN, &c.,&c.

Gentlemen's full suits, or any garment needed, made to order and in the very best style, and in accordance with the latest Parisian fashions.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

A new and fresh stock daily expected.

dec 1 3m

BOOK STORES.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

SCOTTS, MILTONS, BYRONS, MOORE'S

and other Poems, finely bound in Turkey Morocco and inlaid with ivory.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS AT FROM

$1.00 to $10 each.

LADIES COMPANIONS,

KALEIDOSCOPES,

DOMINOES,

PICTURE FRAMES

OF SHELL WORK.

NEW NOVELS FROM STANDARD AUTHORS.

Juvenile and Toy Books, Paper Dolls.

HANDSOMELY BOUND AND ILLUSTRATED

BOOKS,

FOR OLD AND YOUNG.

FOR SALE LOW AT

dec 23-tf J. A. JONES' Bookstore.

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. E. VENABLE, HENRY M. WILLIAMSON

J. E. VENABLE & CO.,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION

Tobacco, Cotton, Grain, &c.

Constantly on hand a large stock of Manufactured Tobacco and the Celebrated

CAROLINA BELLE SNUFF.

No. 3, IRON FRONT, STEAMBOAT ST.,

Petersburg Va.

July 14 d6m.

ROB'T A. MARTIN, ROB'T R. HILL.

ROBT A. MARTIN & CO.

Grocers & Commission Merchants,

129 Sycamore St.,

PETERSBURG, VA.

FAITHFUL Personal attention given to the sale of Cotton, Tobacco &c. Groceries furnished at reasonable prices for cash or short time to responsible punctual customers.

Nov. 29-2m*

WIDE SWEDES IRON, 6 8, 9 10, 11 and 12 inches wide. Just received and for sale low by

GILLIAM & DUNLOP, 121 Sycamore St.

Oct 29-d3m Petersburg Va.

MISCELLANEOUS.

WARRENTON FEMALE COLLEGE,

Warrenton, N. C.

THE Next Session will begin on WEDNESDAY, the 12th January, 1870.

With a most healthy location, the comforts of a home, a very efficient faculty, and all the appliances necessary to a first class Female College, this Institution offers SUPERIOR ADVANTAGES for collegiate purposes.

Charges per session of 20 weeks

Board (exclusive of washing and lights,) $75.00

Tuition in regular College course, 25.00

Charges for extra studies, moderate.

Board and a small sum for books &c., IN ADVANCE.

For circulars containing particulars, apply to T. M. JONES, President.

nov 23-tf

TO THE WORKING CLASS.—We are now prepared to furnish all classes with constant employment at home, the whole of the time or for the spare moments. Business new, light and profitable. Persons of either sex easily earn from 50c. to $5 per evening, and a proportional sum by devoting their whole time to the business. Boys and girls earn nearly as much as men. That all who see this notice may send their address, and test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To such as are not well satisfied, we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing. Full particulars, a valuable sample which will do to commence work on, and a copy of *The People's Literary Companion*—one of the largest and best family newspapers published—all sent free by mail. Reader, if you want permanent, profitable work, addre G. ALLEN & CO., Augusta, Maine.

Oct 26-dewaw3m.

Public Sale at Salem, N. C.

ON THE 12th and 13th of January 1870, will be sold at public auction:

50 Mules, young and well broken,

40 Carts with Harness,

500 Ames' shovels

8 or 10 Plows and Coulters with Harness,

100 Railroad Picks and Mattocks,

300 Wheelbarrows,

200 Grain Bags.

Pots, Ovens, Skillets Pots &c., &c.

TERMS: Cash on delivery

E. BELO, Pres't.

dec 20-dtdos S. W. N. C. R. R. Co.

BALTIMORE ADVERTISEMENTS.

DR. KIERSTEAD'S

UNRIVALED REMEDY,

THE

KING OF ALL PAIN,

THE GREAT INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL MEDICINE, WILL CURE

Headache in Twenty Minutes, Sore Throat in 1 minute
Neuralgia, Sprains,
Rheumatism, Diarrhoea,
Coughs and Cold, Fever and Ague,
Cramps and Cholic, Cholera Morbus,
Inflamation of the Kidneys,
Piles, Worms, Foul Stomach,

and many other diseases and ailments of the human body, too numerous to enumerate.

It is a Diuretic curing diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder. It is a Tonic and Stimulant, giving an appetite and invigorating the system. It is a Diaphoretic, causing perspiration and allaying fever. It is an Expectorant, acting on the Lungs, and good in all Throat and Lung diseases.

There is not a pain or ache, nervous or inflammatory, but that the King of all Pain will relieve and in most instances entirely cure. It should always be used before any other remedy is tried, for it is almost certain in every case to be the only thing needed.

PRICE 50 CENTS PER BOTTLE.

Sold by all Druggists, Apothecaries, and Dealers everywhere.

W. H. Brown & Brother,

SOLE PROPRIETORS,

Wholesale Druggists, Baltimore, Md.

sept 15-d6m

JAMES M. COULTER,

48 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET,

BALTIMORE, Md.,

Importer and Dealer in all descriptions of

IRON AND STEEL,

FOR AGRICULTURAL, MANUFACTURING AND MINING PURPOSES.

Always on hand, a well assorted stock of refined Iron from the best American Mills, Swedes and Norway Iron, Plough Steel, &c.

Orders carefully and promptly executed at favorable Market rates.

oct 9-dwaw6m

CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

WATCHES, JEWELRY,

Silver Ware, Diamonds, Pearl, Bronzes, Choice Fancy Goods, &c.

229 Baltimore Street, BALTIMORE, Md.

Dealers are invited to examine our stock.

Agents for Waltham American Watches.

oct 15-eod3m

Geo. P. Thomas & Co.

DEALERS IN

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

LIQUORS,

No. 385 W. Baltimore Street,

BALTIMORE.

nov 22-3m

NEW YORK ADVERTISEMENTS.

DR. RICHAU'S

GOLDEN REMEDIES.

$1.000 REWARD for any case of disease in any stage which they fail to cure.

DR. RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM No. 1 cures Ulcers, Ulcerated Sore Throat and Mouth, Sore Eyes, Eruptions, Copper colored Blotches, Scrofula, &c.; is the greatest Purifier known, removes all disease from the system, and leaves the blood pure and healthy.

DR. RICHAU'S GOLDEN BALSAM No. 2 cures Mercurial Affections Rheumatism in all its forms, gives immediate relief in all cases. No dieting necessary. Price of either No. 1 or No. 2, $5,00 per bottle, or two bottles for $9.00.

DR. RICHAU'S GOLDEN ANTIDOTE, a safe, speedy, pleasant and radical cure for all Urinary Derangements, accompanied with full directions. Price $5,00 per bottle.

DR. RICHAU'S GOLDEN ELIXIR D'AMOUR, a radical cure for Nervous or General Debility, in old or young; imparting energy with wonderful effect. Price $5,00 per bottle or two bottles for $9.00.

On receipt of price, these Remedies will be shipped to any place.

Address DR. D. B. RICHARDS, No. 228 Varick St., New York.

July 26-d1y Circulars sent.

Mechanics, Building and Loan Association.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECtors of the M. B. & Loan Association held on Friday evening the 17th inst., it was decided to recommend, the closing of the Books of the Association at the regular meeting in January. Members wishing to increase their stock have an opportunity of doing so until that time.

WM. SIMPSON,

dec 18 tdm Secretary.

R. H. GRAY'S SCHOOL,

GRAHAM, N. C.

SPRING TERM 1870 opens 24th of January. The course of Instruction embraces studies preparatory to College.

Also FRENCH, HIGHER MATHS., NAT. PHILOS., CHEMISTRY and BOOK KEEPING.

Charge per term of 20 weeks for Tuition and Board including washing and fuel $81 to $100.

Circulars sent on application.

dec 29-dwkwlm. R. H. GRAY.

BETTS, VAUGHAN & ALLEN,

RALEIGH, N. C.,

BUILDING CONTRACTORS

Sash, Door and Blind Manufacturers,

Keep constantly on hand all kinds of

BUILDERS' MATERIALS,

consisting of

Sash, Doors, Blinds, Mouldings, Brackets, Dressed Flooring, Weather Boarding, &c., Surface and Dimension Planing and Scroll-sawing done promptly and on the most reasonable terms.

dec 21-3m

VALUABLE LANDS FOR SALE.

ON WEDNESDAY THE 5th of January next we will offer for sale that valuable and highly improved plantation in Northampton Co., late the property of J. Devereux sen., known as Montrose. A plot of the land can be seen by applying to J. W. Newsome Esq., on the premises. Mr. Newsome, or L. B. Boyce will be at all times on the premises and will show the dividing lines to any parties desiring to purchase. The plantation will be divided into five separate and distinct farms which will be offered seperately.

The sale will take place on the day above mentioned at 12 o'clock, at the Montrose House. Terms: one fourth cash, the balance on liberal time which will be made known at the sale.

R. C. BADGER, WALTER CLARK, Trustees.

Raleigh, Dec 7-d15J

Standard and Roanoke News copy, until 15th January and send bills to this office.

OXFORD FEMALE ACADEMY.

THE EXERCISES OF THIS INSTITUTION will be resumed Jan 12th 1870 under the charge of

MISS M. E. MITCHELL, PRINCIPAL.

MISS E. N. GRANT, ASSOCIATE PRINCIPAL.

MISS R. N. MICKLE, ASSISTANT TEACHER.

MRS. W. H. MORROW, TEACHER OF MUSIC.

Circulars containing terms, &c., sent on application to the Principal.

dec 16-3m

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &C.

THOMAS H. BRIGGS,

SUCCESSOR TO BRIGGS & DODD,

DEALER IN

HARDWARE, CUTLERY,

IRON AND STEEL,

PAINTS, VARNISHES, COLORS, OILS,

GLASS,

and all kinds House Furnishing Goods.

ALSO,

AGENT FOR THE SALE OF

BURR AND ESOPUS MILL STONES,

"Anchor" Bolting Cloth,

RUBBER AND LEATHER BELTING, STEAM ENGINES AND SAW MILLS, CIRCULAR SAWS,

Iron Fronts, Verandas, Fences, and all kinds of Ornamental Iron Works

No. 19, Fayetteville Street, RALEIGH, N. C.

CALL AND SEE.

THE CELEBRATED SOUTHERN HOME and Virginia Air Tight Cook Stoves, At THOMAS H. BRIGGS.

Nov 2-tf

PARLOR COOK AND DIXIE HEATING Stoves at No. 19 Fayetteville Street

Nov 2-tf T. H. BRIGGS.

RALEIGH

SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.

All orders promptly attended to.

THOS. H. BRIGGS, Proprietor.

Dec 1

MISCELLANEOUS

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD CO., SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 26, 1869.

On and after Sunday, Dec. 26, 1869, Trains will run on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, as follows:

Mail Train leaves Raleigh	7.30 A. M.
Arrives at Weldon	7.40 A. M.
Mail Train leaves Weldon	7.25 P. M.
Arrives at Raleigh	12 40 A. M.
Accommodation leaves Raleigh	6.00 A. M.
" arrives at Raleigh	6.40 P. M.

Mail Train makes close connection at Weldon with the GREAT THROUGH LINE for Petersburg, Richmond and Washington City, to and from all points North and West.

Mail train makes close connection at Raleigh with the N. C. R. R. to and from points South. Sleeping cars run through from Charlotte to Weldon, and from Weldon to Charlotte.

Accommodation Train makes close connection at Weldon with S. & R. R. R. and Day Line from Baltimore, to and from all points North and West.

A. B. ANDREWS, Superintendent.

dec 29-tf

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

THE next session of this Institution will begin on the 18th day of January prox., and continue twenty weeks.

Instruction, rooms and use of libraries offered to one hundred and twenty students free of charge.

The highest rate of board will be $12.00 per month. The entire expenses of the session, including board, lost, washing, fuel, lights and books, need not exceed $75 00.

In addition to the usual literary and scientific departments, there will be parallel courses embracing instruction in the Normal College and in that of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts.

The Preparatory Department will be continued.

For further particulars address,

B. FOOL, President.

dec 23-3aw2w

FOR RENT.

BY VIRTUE OF TWO DEEDS MADE TO ME, as Trustee, by J. P. Nevill and A. M. Gorman, dated 29th January 1861, and 4th Aug. 1864, and recorded in Raleigh Register's Office for the benefit of Lewis Montague wife and children, now Mrs. Jenkins, I will rent the House now occupied by Wm. Simpson, possession given January 1, 1870 for 12 months for $250 cash. Also the Montague Hotel for 12 months from the first January 1870, price $500 cash. I will also rent out for the year 1870 or longer my own Residence where I am now living, together with my furniture, if desired, the house has 9 large rooms with fire places in each room, immediate possession given.

dec 23 3w J. H. KIRKHAM.

Notice.

THE PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF RALeigh, which is advertised for rent next year, by J. H. Kirkham, has been done without my knowledge or consent. The property belongs to me and is rented for another year.

LAURA A. JENKINS.

dec 24-d2w

LOUISBURG MALE ACADEMY.

THE SPRING SESSION WILL BEGIN JANuary 10th 1870.

Terms per Session of 21 weeks:

Board in advance	$20.00
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JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1870.

THE MILITIA BILL.

The introduction of Shoffner's bill into the Legislature, done as it was on the formal recommendation of the Chief Executive of the State, we look upon as the most alarming event of the times. It is not merely a party strategem to effect party purposes, though that is evidently the design of it, but it goes further and effects more—it strikes at the very foundation of civil liberty in the State, and destroys the sense of security to life and property which every one feels, or has a right to feel, while living under a constitutional government. It takes away the protection which the constitution and laws throw around the citizen, and places his life, his property and his liberty within the control, and subject to the *partisan* whims of one man.

It is not our purpose to give an elaborate history of the struggles of the people of England and this country to maintain the great right of *habeas corpus*, the right of every man, under a form of civil government, to a speedy and impartial trial before his peers, for any crime that may be charged against him; nor to recapitulate the anathemas that have always been hurled against those who have attempted to wrest this right from the people, and the just punishments that have overtaken them; these things are familiar to all, and are rendered more impressive by events in our own recent history.

It is sufficient to say that any attempt, in time of peace, to interfere with this great and fundamental right—this inheritance of freedom, handed down to us from our English ancestors, has always been looked upon as a crime almost, if not quite, of sacrilege, subjecting its perpetrators to the severest punishments. And even in time of war, it is only under peculiar circumstances and restrictions that a suspension of this writ has been thought admissible; and then, the suspension to cease at the earliest moment the public safety—the safety of the State and government—will admit of it.

We are borne out by the facts of history in saying, that in all cases; in England or this country, in which a suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus* has been urged, the least trustworthy—those in whom the people have had the least confidence—have been most clamorous for its suspension.—We cannot remember an instance in which this is not true; and it has always been only in cases of the most extreme necessity, where the safety of the State was in peril, that the wise and patriotic—those in whom the people had confidence, and who had proved themselves worthy of it, have given their voice in favor of so dangerous an alternative.

Is it not startling, then, that in the midst of profound peace, a bill should be recommended by the Governor of the State, introduced into the Legislature and pushed through with most indecent haste, while all debate is cut off by the gag of the previous question? Not only does this bill aim a blow at the very foundation of civil liberty, by providing for a suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus*, but it contains another feature, equally damnable in its character and dangerous to public safety. We allude to the privilege it gives to the State Solicitors, of taking persons charged with crime in one county to another and distant county for trial. This puts it in the power of any scoundrel in the State, who may have a grudge or quarrel against a neighbor, to have him arrested by the military, without affidavit, (for this power is also given in the bill,) and the Solicitor may send him for trial to a distant county, where his character is not known; where he has neither acquaintance, or friends, and where it would, on account of the expense, be impossible to have the necessary witnesses for his defense.

But we need not further allude to the evils of this bill; they are patent to every one who has read it, and condemned by every right judging, patriotic citizen of the State.

The arguments that have been adduced in favor of it, both by its partisans in the Legislature and the Governor's organ, or organs, are fallacious and untenable.

In the first place they set out with the declaration that the bill is necessary to overcome organized resistance to the execution of the laws of the State. This declaration bears falsehood upon the very face of it; for there has never been an instance that has come to the public notice, in which a civil officer has been hindered or resisted in the discharge of his duties, in arresting any one charged with a crime against the laws.

It is further urged that there is a secret organization, banded together for the commission of crime and outrage on unoffending citizens. This we believe to be false. That persons have joined to punish notorious offenders and clear their neighborhood's of ravishers, barnburners and rogues, in particular neighborhoods, is apparently true. But all the alleged acts of this sort are punishable by existing laws, and the facts, even exaggerated as they have been by those who wish to make party capital out of them, does not justify the extraordinary measure proposed—the suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus*—the declaration of martial law, and the removal of persons charged with offenses to distant points for trial; and all this power to be placed in the hands of *one man*.

We are told by some of the favorers of this bill that, should it be passed into a law, there is little probability of its ever being enforced; that the very fact of its passage will frighten the lawless and obviate the necessity of enforcing it. This is very poor logic, and a bad reason for setting a dangerous precedent. It is the old argument of the Devil, to "do evil that good may come."

Those who have inaugurated this measure may recklessly push it through; the *Standard* says they will, and the *Standard* knows. But there is one thing we tell them and the people of the State; the day that the bill passes, sounds the death knell of personal liberty in North Carolina; removes all the safeguards that the Constitution throws around the person and property of the citizen; and at the same time sounds the political death knell of every member of the Legislature who casts his vote for it. We will go further and predict, not in the way of threat, but from a settled conviction of what the feelings of the great body of the intelligent, liberty loving people of the State are on this subject, the day the provisions of that bill are attempted to be enforced will initiate a scene of bloodshed in North Carolina, horrible even to think of.

The great body of our people are law abiding and peaceable, but they have not forgotten that they are the sons of sires who pawned their lives and spilt their blood in defense of the rights which this Shoffner-Holden bill is calculated and designed to take from them.

We hope the sober second thought of the members of the Legislature will influence them to a more prudent action on this question than was manifested during the last session.

GOOD NEWS FOR THE "RING."

A little bird whispers us that the difficulties of the "Ring," in regard to a portion, at least, of the misapplied State bonds, are about to be so adjusted as to allow Gen. Littlefield to return to Raleigh and testify before the Committee of the Whole, on the reassembling of the General Assembly. Treasurer Jenkins and "two others" have gone on to New York, and we "shall see what we shall see."

It is rumored that with some ready money—(wonder if any of it is special tax interest on unsold bonds)—a little exchange or borrowing of bonds, and a little promise in another direction, some misapplied bonds will be replaced and a right smart margin realized by the "Ring," say a margin of the difference between 52 and 28½.

So we may look soon, for the man the Rutherford *Star* calls Milton Swindler Littlefield, to return to Raleigh and march up to the Capitol as "bold as a sheep," and testify to the honesty, integrity and excellent management of the Railroad Presidents of the State.

MAKES NO DIFFERENCE.—The *Standard* of Tuesday morning reports Rev. Hood, Ashley's assistant Superintendent of Public Instruction, as speaking of the "false, malicious and vindictive articles of the SENTINEL."

On Wednesday morning Hood published a card in the *Standard* denying that he used any such language, and says that his mother learned him better manners, and his Bible teaches him that such language does not accord with that purity of speech that christianity demands."

Bully for Hood! His card is a smooth and cutting rebuke of reporter of his speech, whoever he may be, for the "false, malicious and vindictive" lie he tried to father on Hood; and leads one to conclude that said reporter has safely neglected the teachings of *his* mother, and paid very little regard to the denunciations of the Bible, which says "all liars shall have their part in the lake that burneth with fire and brimstone."

What Pinkney said about the admission of Virginia at the press dinner on Saturday was this:

Let me say this: I trust the day is coming when the Old Dominion will be re-admitted into the Union. [Great applause.] There are some doubts and obstacles still remaining, but for my part—having taken some interest in the recent canvass—I am satisfied, and I believe Congress is satisfied, that she should be admitted, and admitted at the earliest day. [Cheers.] There are here representative men from both parties—men representing the Democratic and the Republican cause, and I think I speak for a large majority of Congress when I express the opinion and make the prediction that she will be soon restored to the sisterhood of States. [Applause.]

CHURCH EXTRAVAGANCE.—The San Francisco papers complain of the extravagance of the churches of that city. Normally, religion is supposed to be the consolation of the poor, but in the Queen of the Pacific slope it is a luxury in which even the moderately rich cannot indulge. Think of one thousand dollar pews! Of course, as the San Francisco Call points out, respectable families will not care to go to church if they cannot go on the same terms as their more wealthy associates. But when the single item of music in these churches costs about ten thousand dollars, there are not many even in the Golden City who find it easy to support the enormous assessments which these religious services impose on them.

The Quebec Mercury says that, on and after the 1st instant, an important act passed at the last session of the Dominion Parliament, with the view of preventing Canada being made an asylum for thieves and swindlers, went into operation. This act provides that if any person takes into Canada, or has in his possession therein, any property stolen, or obtained by fraud or false pretenses in any other country, in such manner that the stealing or obtaining it in like manner in Canada would be a felony or misdemeanor, then the taking of such property there, or having it in possession with a knowledge of its being unlawfully obtained, shall be an offence of the same nature and punishable in the same manner as if the stealing or unlawful obtainance had taken place in Canada.

For the Sentinel.

STATISTICS OF THE SCHOOLS IN CHATHAM.

Published by request of the Chatham Educational Association.

The Committee on the condition and statistics of the schools in Chatham, beg leave to report, That they have returns from seven schools, which your Committee have placed in two classes, viz: Complete and Incomplete. By a Complete School, your Committee designates one in which all the branches, pursued in College, or necessary to admission therein, are taught; and by an "Incomplete School," your Committee designates one in which less than what is usually required for admission into College, is taught. Of Complete Schools, your Committee have returns from Mt. Vernon High School, Locust Hill Seminary, for girls, Pittsboro' Scientific Academy, Sylvan Academy and Ruffin Badger Institute; and of Incomplete Schools, your Committee have returns from Haw River Academy and Yates' Academy.

I. Mt. Vernon High School is located at Mt. Vernon Springs, and was established in 1855. The Post Office address is Egypt Station. The school is mixed and numbers twenty-five males. There are three Principals, Elder A. J. Emerson teacher of ancient and modern languages, &c., Mr. R. S. Andrews teacher of mathematics and English literature, and Miss Mag. Emerson teacher of music. The school has capacity to instruct seventy-five (75) pupils, and the buildings have capacity to accommodate one hundred (100). Has no library, reading room, cabinet of minerals, garden apparatus, maps nor charts. From their circular we extract the follow: "We prepare boys for College, or the active business of life. Young ladies here pursue the severe course of studies marked out for the other sex, and their minds are thereby *trained*.—The presence of both sexes in the classroom at recitation is an advantage, and operates favorably on the manners and morals of both, under the proper restrictions and strict discipline which we carefully estorce. Young men desiring to prepare for the ministry will be received for half price of tuition, and all possible assistance rendered therein. Opportunities for young men to board themselves. We use the mineral waters entirely in the academy, and never could pupils, at any school, have better health than ours." Your Committee know nothing of the properties of these springs, nor in what diseases, they are valuable.—They have, your Committee know, considerable celebrity, and, possibly, this school might be invaluable to many young invalids who might be unable to pursue their studies elsewhere, but your Committee has no information, as to what class of cases they apply.

II. Locust Hill Seminary for girls is located at Pittsboro, the county town of Chatham. It was established in January 1861. Rev. Robt. R. Sutton, A. M. Principal; Miss Grace R. Crane, Assistant; Mrs. A. M. Zimmerman, Teacher of Music; Mrs. Lucy Jackson, Teacher of Drawing and Painting.—Has now forty (40) pupils, and a capacity to instruct fifty (50,) while the buildings can accommodate eighty (80.) Number of pieces of Apparatus not given; but value thereof $500,00. Sixty (60) maps and charts valued at $100,00, one Printing Press valued at $50,00. Has no Garden, Library, nor cabinet of minerals. Total value of appliances $650,00. The tuition of the children of those who died or were killed in the service of their country is at half price. The Seminary can be reached from the Fayetteville and Western R. R. at Egypt, and Morrisville on the N. C. R. R. by good tri-weekly stages, and soon from Hawood on the Chatham R. R. From their circular, we extract the following, "The Principal brings to his work the experience of more than twenty years, with a careful examination of the latest and most improved methods of instruction. The course of study will be full and thorough, embracing all the branches of a polite education. Reviews will be frequent, and it will be the aim of the Principal and his Assistants to train the pupils to think and to prepare them for the active duties of life. By the employment of a sufficient number of competent assistants, it is designed to give to each pupil all the strict supervision of private tuition, and, yet with advantage of the contact of mind with mind, and the stimulus of a generous rivalry, which can only be obtained by the association of numbers." For the purpose of preventing young gentlemen from the useless waste of time in visiting female seminaries in search of wives, and to save young ladies from that disappointment in regard to flirting, which so many seek at school, we make the following wise and healthy extracts from the Circular. "All visiting or receiving visits and attendance upon evening parties, as interfering with that close attention to study necessary to improvement, are forbidden." Lectures on literary and scientific subjects are regularly delivered.

III. Pittsboro Scientific Acvademy, located at Pittsboro' the county town of Chatham, was established November 20th 1865, and is a male school. Capt C. B. Denson Principal, has forty students, and the building sufficient to accommodate 100. Has 700 specimens in cabinet of minerals, valued at $350,00; 250 peices of apparatus valued at $800,00; 111 maps and charts valued at $350,00; 1,200 varieties in garden valued at $1000,00; 1100 volumes in library valued at $1200,00; Total value of appliances $3,800,00. The apparatus is selected to illustrate fully the natural sciences, especially chemistry. Among the pieces is a very powerful Telescope. The apparatus for mathematical purposes is very superior. Particular attention is paid to book keeping and other pursuits necessary to business life. Ample opportunities are offered to those who desire practice in surveying, Triangulation and engineering.—The garden is one of the finest in the State, and contains many rare and valuable plants, affording fine facilities for the study of botany. Lectures are delivered regularly in the Academy.

IV. Sylvan Academy is located on the line between Alamance and Chatham. It has been supposed that it was in Alamance. The line between the two counties, runs through the building, entering at one window and passing out at another. The greater portion is in Chatham and the school has always been represented in this association, and clearly belongs to Chatham. The school was established in November 1866, and is located at Snow Camp which is the post office. The Academy is situated about 100 yards form where Lord Cornwallis had his head quarters on his retreat from the battle of Guilford Court House. The school is mixed and reports 65 pupils. The corps of teachers are S. Pinley Tomlinson Principal, D. Matt. Thompson and Miss Lizzie Rice Assistants. The school can accommodate 175 pupils.—Has 13 pieces of apparatus valued at $150.00; 27 maps and charts valued at $71.00; 100 specimens in garden valued at $50.00; 1 printing press valued at $50.00; 50 volumes in library valued at $75.00. Total value of appliances $396,00. Lectures on literary and scientific subjects are regularly delivered. Have just started a cabinet of minerals, but do not report the number of specimens.

V. Ruffin Badger Institute, at Moringsville, was established in January 1869. is a mixed school, and reports 38 males and 6 female pupils—total 44. Rev. Brantley York is principal assisted by Miss F. J. Moring. Has capacity to instruct fifty (50,) while the building will accommodate 60.—Have commenced to collect a Library, but has no garden, apparatus, nor cabinet of minerals; has 8 maps valued at $20. Total value of appliances $20.

VI. Haw River Academy, located at Hanks Chapel, with Pittsboro' as its post office, is a mixed school, and was established in February 1868, and reports 39 male and 7 female pupils—total 46 pupils. Has capacity to accommodate 50 pupils. Is supplied only with a Library of 125 volumes valued at $65. Thomas B. Lassiter, Esq., is Principal; no report as to whether lectures are delivered.

VII. Yates Academy is a mixed school, located near Rhallo which is the Post office address. Reports 50 male and 16 female pupils—total 66. W. H. Merritt, Esq., is Principal. The sciences taught are Spelling, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, Algebra, Book keeping, Geography, Map Drawing, English Grammar and Elocution. Has 3 pieces of apparatus valued at $25, 66 maps and charts valued at $200, 1 Printing Press valued at $70, 50 volumes Library valued at $250—total value of appliances $545. Lectures are delivered in the school.

From the reports we make the following summary; Schools 7; Teachers 15; Pupils male 247; female 69—total 316. Pieces apparatus 266, value $1,473, cabinet specimens No. 800, value $400; maps and charts 272, value $641; specimens in gardens 1300, value $1050; printing presses 5, value $190; volumes library 1235 valed $1580. Total value $5,336.

These statistics reveal many interesting facts, that should make us take heart, and persevere in improving our schools and systems of education. It is not the duty nor the province of you committee to make recommendations or suggestions, as the resolution under which they are appointed, only requires them to report on the "statistics and condition of the schools in Chatham," but they may be permitted to suggest a few random ideas growing out of these statistics in connection with others. The system of Free schools, soon to be put into operation, will, at least, act as a stimulus to the whites, and whether wholesome or unwholsome, opposed or unopposed, will awaken inquiry as to whether the government has the power to force its people to be educated, in order to preserve liberty, civil rights, and a good government, as well as its relations to political economy. These questions relating to every phase in which education can be viewed, must pass into the arena of statesmanship and politics, must be canvased white and black, high and low, rich and poor, learned and unlearned, oppressor and oppressed, conqueror and conquered. The cause, importance, and utility of education, has nothing to fear from this stern ordeal of discussion, this purifying crucible of the inexorable logic of the human mind, which ultimately determines all matters rightly, if left free and untrammeled to travel the paths of legitimate thought.

Most of the schools have occasional lectures delivered in them. These serve to amplify the subject selected and thus carry the student through a longer and generally more systematic course of reasoning than is laid down in the text book, which generally gives the result of reasons, rather than the reasons themselves. Besides there is much to be gained from viewing the living orator, and there is much to be gained every way therefrom.

These statistics reveal the fact that; in the seven schools reported, $5,556,00 are invested in apparatus, maps and charts and other appliances of a liberal school. But one school, Pittsboro' Scientific Academy, has a Cabinet of Minerals. Sylvan Academy reports that they have commenced to collect one. Pittsboro' Scientific Academy has a very extensive garden, suitable for all the purposes of a first class school, and Sylvan Academy has commenced a garden, and has some 100 specimens. Is there any good reason why every school should not have a garden, to illustrate the science of Botany? A part from the useful knowledge imparted, and the moral impression derived from an examination of plants, a garden affords a very pleasant recreation to the student.

Cabinets of minerals can easily be procured in this county, and it only requires a little exertion to furnish every school with a good selection of specimens illustrating the elements of Geology and kindred sciences. Chatham is rich in nearly all the rocks and metals, and affords the most ample means of collecting specimens illustrating the coal period and the metals, the mines, of which latter are now being worked on a large scale. A school which claims to be liberal, and reflect the mind of the country in which it is located, should, at least, have a collection of minerals illustrating the geology of the section of country around it. A stranger, on entering the school, should find there the exponents of the geologic formation of that section.—Every school, with a little exertion, a little labor, may easily acquire a small cabinet of minerals, sufficient for ordinary purposes, and a garden of plants. Our schools must give more attention to the study of the physical sciences. The children must be taught continually something concerning the nature of soils and rocks, and the structure of plants and the philosophy of their vegetation. It must be line upon line and precept upon precept, if we would turn the minds of the young to scientific farming, and a proper developement of the mineral resources of the county.—Chatham is rich in minerals, there is scarcely an acre in the county that is not rich in the deposits of mineral wealth. Now how shall we have life active both above ground and underground? How shall the surface and the bowels of the earth both contribute to the wealth of the State? *The teacher must teach it in the schoolroom.* He alone, by developing properly the mind, will develope surely and properly the material wealth of the country. There is no material improvement apart from mental improvement. Mental improvement is the only means by which we may hope to bring material improvement.

There are several schools which from the want of postal facilities, have not reported. This is much to be regretted, and it is to be hoped that in future, the committees will be able to obtain returns from every permanent school in the county.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

R. W. YORK,
for committee.

The Cuban Junta, doing business in New York, publish a card denying in indignant terms the Havana story that they have issued a circular advising the Cuban insurgents to lay down their arms. Instead of despairing of the cause, the Junta profess never to have been more sanguine than now, and, moreover, they claim to have from the fighting Cubans intelligence of a similar state of feeling. Probably in no war of recent times have the reports from both belligerents been so untrustworthy. In extravagance of assertion the Spanish authorities in Havana have vied with the Cuban agents in Washington. Every skirmish has been magnified into a prodigious battle and claimed by both sides. More Spaniards and Cubans have been slaughtered than there are people on the Island. According to the Havana editors the insurgents are continually surrendering or deserting *en masse*.

A GOOD GAME.—There is a simple and very interesting play to which our young folks have given the name of "Verbarium," and which has had a remarkable effect, within our observation, in stimulating the faculty of language in many somewhat sluggish brains. A number of persons—the more the merrier—and a word chosen as the verbarium, which each writes at the head of his sheet. The object of the game is to draw out the vast number of words which lie folded up, as it were, in the verbarium, and this is accomplished amid much excitement and amusement, in the following manner: Let us suppose, for instance, that the word chosen is "treason." One of the company is appointed timekeeper, and the signal being given, each writes as rapidly as possible all the words beginning with "T" which can be spelled with the letters of the verbarium.

At the end of the two minutes the timekeeper calls "time!" and the eager pencils are obliged to stop. The company then read, in order, the words they have written. As each word is read, those who have not written it call out "no," and those who have it, cross it out from their lists, and place opposite it a number of credits, equal to the number of defaulters. If three persons, for instance, fail to have the word "tea," the rest have three credits. Two minutes are then devoted to words beginning with 'R," and so on, until the whole verbarium is exhausted, when each player counts the aggregate number of credits, and the one who has the largest number is declared the winner.

The possibilities of fun in this game do not all appear from a dry description like the foregoing.

The lamentations of those who, in their zealous pursuits of complicated anagrams, have overlooked the simplest combinations, the shouts of laughter that attend the defeat of an attempt to impose triumphantly a word that "isn't in it," the appeals to the dictionary to settle disputed questions, and a hundred other lively little incidents of the game, render it the most popular with old and young that has ever been introduced into the parlor.

To illustrate the extensive range of language which this simple amusement covers, it is only necessary to say that not less than one hundred words may be derived in this way from "treason," which is, after all, not a very good verbarium.

YANKEES IN A CHARLESTON COURT.—One of our "dead head" subscribers, who happened to be over in Charleston the other day, tells the following:

A fellow representing a Boston bucket factory came ashore from a steamer, carrying about a dozen diminutive specimens of his merchandise, and taking up the first street he came to, offered them right and left. He had not progressed far before a negro policeman arrested and carried him before a coal black justice, charged with peddling without license. The sable magistrate not only fined him the cool sum of $100, but roundly lectured the man of buckets upon his conduct. He paid the fine and left the "court" and city in thorough disgust.

On the same day another drummer from New York was arraigned before his sable honor for the same offense. The drummer insisted that he had sold nothing, only been off ring, but had made no sales. Whereupon the black dignitary told him to prove that, but while hunting up his proof he must leave $50 by way of bail. The drummer handed over the money, went out, and brought in three or four merchants, who stated that he had sold nothing to them.—After the witnesses got through, the following decision was delivered:

"Dis Court hab heard de prefixes and de conclusion to dis case, and decides dat de Yankee hab left de case in doubt; and it bein de law to gib de State de benefit of de doubt, dis court will keep de fifty dollars."

These are facts.—*Macon Telegraph.*

THE IMAGINATION.—Dr. Fayer, an English physician in India, communicates to the *Indian Medical Gazette* an extraordinary case of the effect of imagination on the physical system. He says:

"Some time ago, on visiting the hospital one morning, I was told that a man had been admitted during the night suffering from a snake bite, and that he was very low. I found him in a state of great prostration, he was hardly able to speak, and seemed to be in a state of great depression. He and his friends said that, during the night, in going into his hut, a snake bit him in the foot; that he was much alarmed, and rapidly passed into a state of insensibility when they brought him to the hospital. They said he considered that he was dying, and evidently regarded his condition as hopeless. On being asked for a description of the snake, they said they had caught it and brought it with them in a bottle. The bottle was produced, and the snake turned out to be a small, innocent lycodon. It was alive, though somewhat injured by the treatment it had received. On explaining to the man and his friends that it was harmless, and with some difficulty making them believe it, the symptoms of poisoning rapidly disappeared, and he left the hospital as well as ever he was in his life in a few hours."

In Paris there resides an elderly lady who passes for a Countess. She makes a very handsome living by giving characters to servants requiring employment. When ladies visits her to inquire into the antecedents of a domestic, they find an elegantly dressed lady, who has a happy faculty of remembering the person inquired about, and she never knows aught but good of them. This novel mode of making a living by supplying reputations to girls who have none has been discovered, and the occupation of the Countess will be seriously injured. The girls employed on account of her testimony as to their capacity gave her a per centage of their wages.

THE IRREPRESSIBLE NEGRO.—Verily the world moves fast and the greatest changes take place within a very short time. Less than ten years ago the negroes had no social or political rights with the white men.—They are now equals with the whites, and in the South superior, as far as our radical government can make them so. An event occurred at the White House on New Year's day which shows how far this extraordinary revolution has gone. The "colored folks," understanding that an order had been given that they were not to have the honor of a reception by the President until after the "white folks" had been received, rebelled at this invidious distinction and made a great noise at such a violation of the Chicago platform and the principles of the party in power. Sambo is right. The party in power owes its existence to him, and it was an unkind cut to place him in the background. We know not the ground of this exclusion; but if it was on account of the odor that might have troubled the crowds of white ladies and gentlemen present on that occasion we recommend Congress to make an appropriation for a large quantity of eau de cologne for the negroes in time for the next New Year's reception.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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J. P. Dillingham Newbern, Agent for the State.

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Raleigh, N. C.

WM. LITTLE, M. D., EXAMINING PHYSICIAN.
nov 29-3m

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ST. John's College, Oxford, N. C., is authorized to lease the buildings for a term of years to an suitable person who will undertake to establish in them a Male or Female School.

The buildings are large and commodious, and there go with them about eighty acres of land.

As the Board is anxious to have the buildings occupied at once, the property will be let to a suitable person on the most favorable and liberal terms.

For further information, apply to

R. H. KINGSBURY, President.
jan. 1-1m.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

UNLESS SOONER DISPOSED OF AT PRIvate sale will be offered at public auction on Tuesday the 4th day of January, 1870, at the Auction House of W. H. Jones & Co,

A Valuable Tract of Land,

situated in Wake county, on the Tarboro road adjoining Gov. Manly and others, 12 miles from Raleigh, and containing 190 acres.

Terms—One-third Cash and the remainder in equal payments of one and two years.

M. GRAUSMAN.
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THE SENTINEL.

CITY AND STATE ITEMS.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 6, 1870.

☞ THEO. N. RAMSAY, as Business Clerk, is authorized to make contracts and give receipts, &c. &c.

☞ *Hereafter all obituaries not exceeding ten lines in length (eight words to the line), will be published free; for any number of lines over ten, ten cents per line will be charged — to be accompanied, in every instance, by the cash, to insure publication.*

MASS MEETING IN RALEIGH, ON THE 10TH OF JANUARY.

Leading gentlemen from various parts of the county of Wake have agreed on Monday, Jan. 10th, as the day for a grand Mass Meeting of the people in Raleigh, to express their views on the odious bill for the suspension of the writ of *habeas corpus*, and other public measures. The various districts will be well represented. Come one, come all, and join in a protest against the insidious attacks being made on your liberty.

NEW ADS.—We call attention of our readers to the following new advertisements this morning:

Hardware, Gilliam & Dunlop, Petersburg, Va.

Mechanics' Building and Loan Association meeting to-morrow night.

English, Classical and Mathematical School in Raleigh—next session opens Friday 14th inst., Mr. Jno. T. Womble.

Positively at Cost, a variety of Ladies' and gentlemen's goods and other articles, W. H. & R. S. Tucker, & Co.

New Arrivals of Molasses, Meal and Corn, Upchurch & Dodd.

CONGLETON'S REMEDIES.—These remedies for the diseases specified in the advertisement, have been tried right here at home, and throughout the surrounding country, and so admirably have they been found to answer the purpose designed that the demand for them is increasing rapidly from day to day. There are scores of persons in the city of Raleigh, and hundreds in the county of Wake, who would readily certify to the almost miraculous effects of these remedies for the complaints they are recommended for. And now orders are coming in from other points where they have been introduced, and their reputation is spreading throughout the State.

Let the afflicted read the advertisement, which may be found in the Weekly SENTINEL, and procure a supply against the hour of need.

The annual meeting of Hook and Ladder Company No. 1, for choice of officers for the present year, will be held at the Court House this, (Thursday) evening at 7 o'clock. Every member who intends remaining in the Company must be present to night.

This meeting was adjourned from Tuesday evening on account of the Court House having been previously engaged.

ALMOST A FIRE.—The Porter in the store of Mr. Rosenthal, on Fayetteville street, while moving some switches (imitations of ladies' back hair) in the window, last night, let them catch fire from the gas jet, and a big blaze ensued, burning the switches and slightly damaging some other goods near. The flames were soon extinguished, however, and a "terrible conflagration" prevented.

A NUISANCE.—We call the attention of the newly elected Board of Commissioners to an old blacksmith shop on Hargett street, in rear of Mr. Jeff Fisher's stables, which has become a serious nuisance to all persons passing it, and to the entire neighborhood.

SAD OCCURRENCE.—A MAN BURNT OUT TO SEA IN AN OPEN BOAT.—We learn from the Wilmington *Journal*, that a sad accident happened at the steamship Lucille as she was lying ashore near the mouth of New Inlet, on Saturday night last. One of the hands at work on the vessel, a mulatto named Arnold Hooper, from the vicinity of Fort Anderson, got into a small surf boat made fast alongside, of the purpose of "bailing it out." The weather was quite severe, and while the man was in the boat the line parted and he was blown directly out to sea through the inlet, before the eyes of all on board, who were unable to render him the slightest assistance. The wind was blowing hard directly from the shore, and in a few moments the boat and its helpless occupant were lost to sight. Without food or water, and only ordinarily clothed, and even without oars in the boat, his condition was deplorable. The boat, however, is quite staunch, and if the man is enabled to hold up for a day or two, he may be saved. It is hoped that some passing vessel may pick him up, and this seems more than probable from the fact that the wind has since changed and is likely to blown him back near the coast and in the track of coasting vessels.

S. N. Martin, Radical, has been elected Mayor of Wilmington.

The Radical nominee, R. T. Berry is re-elected Mayor of Newbern by a majority of 407.

PAID BY THE ÆTNA LIFE INSURANCE CO., through the hands of W. H. Crow, General Agent, for the State of N. C., and south of the James. Two policies upon the life of J. A. Moore, of Raleigh, No. 17,296, $10,000; No. 19,416, $5,000. This is but another illustration added to the many already made known to the public, of what this old and reliable Company is doing in our State.

The following note is appended by permission:

MR. CROW:—Please accept my thanks for your untiring energy and perseverance in procuring for myself and child, the amount due us, from your Company, also my appreciation of your courtesy and kindness to us in our bereavement.

Very Respectfully,
MRS. JAMES A. MOORE.

Raleigh, Dec. 14th 1869.

STILL ON A STRIKE.

As our readers will see, we are still without our usual telegraphic dispatches. This is owing, as stated yesterday, to a strike among the operators of the Western Union Telegraph Company. The various offices were closed about 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

The movement, we learn, originated in California and rapidly extended East, until, by night, 8,800 experts had signified their intention of ceasing to work. There are now no offices in operation from Maine to California. At 4 o'clock on Tuesday, the operators here closed, and no messages have been sent or received since that hour.

The cause of this decided action on the part of the Telegraph operators is said to be, remotely, on account of a variety of grievances, and immediately and directly in an attempt made by the Company to reduce the salaries of the operators in California.

We have no idea how long the imbroglio will last, nor when we shall again receive any dispatches. Not only are the Press dispatches cut off, but an embargo is laid on dispatches of all kinds.

This is a serious drawback on the business operations and interests of the country, but when we remember that the Telegraph Company is a large moneyed corporation, supervised by numerous agents, many of whom would be likely to endeavor to recommend themselves to the Directory by a show of economy in their respective departments, and that the operatives are generally poor, but intelligent young men who are required to perform very onerous and confining labors, we are not prepared to condemn them for a movement intended to protect and defend themselves against being reduced to the starvation point, nor for entering into an association for mutual benefit.

SUPREME COURT.

Wednesday, Jan. 5,—Court assembled at the usual hour, the Chief Justice and all the Associate Justices being present.

The following gentlemen of the Bar were in attendance, viz: Hon. Thomas Bragg, Hon. W. N. H. Smith, Josiah Collins, Esq., John Gatling, Esq., and Fabius H. Busbee, Esq.

The case of M. E. G. Barnett *ex.* Willie Carter, *et. al.*, from Bertie, was argued by Hon. W. N. H. Smith counsel for the defendants.

The case of State *ex. rel.*, from Gates, compromised—terms to be filed.

The case of F. W. Hilliard and wife, *et al. ex.* John C. Randolph, *et. al.*, called and put to end of docket.

This is a suit brought by the legatees of the late James C. Johnston, deceased, of Chowan, against the executors. The case involves a construction of the will. Hon. Thos. Bragg and Messrs. Fowle and Badger, counsel for plaintiff, and Hon. W. N. H. Smith and Ed. Conigland, Esq., for defendants.

On Monday next the regular annual election of Reporter will be held by the Supreme Court. At the same time the Trustees of the State Library will elect a Librarian for the present year. The present incumbents, it is said, are applicants for re-election.

A Wonderful Southern Discovery.—In the South where Liver complaint and billious diseases prevail to so great an extent, there has long been felt a need of a medicine that would act *specifically and promptly on the Liver*, restoring it to its normal functions, and at the same time be safe from after effects, and yet so simple that it might be used by any one. It is claimed that DR. TUTT'S VEGETABLE LIVER PILLS supplies this want. They act directly on the Liver; their constant use will not injure in the slightest degree the most delicate constitution. Females at any period may use them with great benefit, and realize great relief from the distressing causes which they experience at certain times. These pills are not recommended as a *universal cure all*, but simply for diseased Liver, and those maladies which follow a derangement of that important organ, such as Dyspepsia, Headache, Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Costiveness, Piles, Jaundice, Sour Stomach, Ladies Heartburn, Chills and Fever, Foul Breath, Restlessness at night, and Flatulency. These invaluable pills may be found in every Drug Store of any note in the South and West.

Jan 3 dlw.

JUST OUT.—*Cherry Pectoral Troches*, superior to all others, for Colds, Coughs, Sore Throats, Bronchitis and Hoarseness. None so pleasant, none cure so quick.

Manufactured by
RUSHTON & CO.,
Astor House New York.

This old established firm, whose preparations, have acquired a world wide reputation for excellence, now offer this article. No Mons of those horrible tasted, nauseating, "Brown Cubeb things."

dec 25-d1w3m.

R. G. Ivey will very soon open a Grocery Store on the premises of W. G. Riddick about 8 miles Northeast of this city.

The business will be conducted by W. G. Riddick; as agent.

Persons can be supplied with everything in the grocery and provision line upon the most reasonable terms.

dec 23-2w *

GRAND RALLY IN OXFORD.

There will be a public meeting of the citizens of Granville, without respect to party, in Oxford, on Saturday, 8th inst., to consider the bill now before the Legislature, known as "Sheffner's bill," and also the proposition of the Legislature to hold over two years longer. A number of prominent citizens of the county will be present and address the meeting, among them, Hon. R. B. Gilliam, Col. J. S. Amis, Col. L. C. Edwards, Maj. J. T. Littlejohn, T. H. Venable, Esq, G. B. Harris, Esq., and others.

PUBLIC MEETING IN CASWELL.

The people of Caswell are requested to meet at the Court House in Yanceyville on Saturday the 8th of January 1870, to consider the state of public affairs, and especially to express their sentiments in regard to the Bill now pending in the Legislature to place the State under military rule and clothe W. W. Holden with despotic power.

MANY CITIZENS.

December 30, 1869.

A great deal of astonishment is expressed in Paris at the number of Spanish orders and decorations which have recently made their appearance on the breasts and in the button holes of very obscure individuals. The secret has recently been explained by the curious fact that one of Queen Isabella's couriers, who has more debts than he can pay, liquidates his bills by telling the merchants that, if they will give their receipts in full, and something to boot, he will procure them crosses of the various Spanish orders at the disposal of Queen Isabella the Second.

A "Ring" Wedding come off in New York last week, and each member of that organization gave a present to the bride.—A house, furnished, was one of the gifts, besides which three sides of a large room were occupied by tables, upon which were three or four $10,000 checks, a solid service of silver, diamonds, jewels, and costly articles of manufacture exceeding description. A number of detectives were present to guard the costly array. The presents were said to exceed $200,000.

DIED,

At the State Institution for the Insane, on Tuesday night last, Mr. RICHARD S. GREENE formerly of Newbern, late of Wilmington, N. C., aged about 38 years. His funeral took place from the M. E. Church, in this city, on yesterday, and his remains were interred in the city cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MOLASSES, MOLASSES.

A New lot of Mo'asses just received at
jan 6-tf UPCHURCH & DODD'S.

MEAL, MEAL, MEAL.

Beautiful White Corn Meal for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.
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CORN, CORN, CORN,

A lot of white Corn for sale by
UPCHURCH & DODD.
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English, Classical and Mathematical School.

THE next session of my School will commence on Friday, 14th Jan. 1870, and continue five months.

TERMS: From $15 to $30 per session, pupils under 10 years of age $12½. No pupil taken for less time than a session, except by special agreement with me. Tuition, payable half in advance, half at the close of the session.

Jan 6 1dw* JNO. T. WOMBLE.

MECHANIC'S BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION.

THE Regular meeting of the Mechanics' Building and Loan Association will be held in the COURT HOUSE on Friday evening, January 7th, at 7½ o'clock. Members can pay their dues to Mr. Jno. C. Blake, Teller, at Raleigh National Bank or to the undersigned. It is hoped that as many as conveniently can, will pay their dues before the hour of meeting, as the business of the evening will be thereby greatly facilitated. All dues must be paid by *Friday* evening or delinquents will subject themselves to a fine as prescribed by the by-Laws.

WM. SIMPSON,
Jan 6-2t Secretary.

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Offer for sale in lots to suit purchasers
Refined Iron, flat, round or square
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Also, FAIR BANKS SCALES at
New York prices,
Brinkerhoff and Southern
Corn Sheellers,
Smith's well fixtures,
Cutting Knives,
Fan Mills,
Ploughs,
Best Sperm, Tallow, Lard and lubricating Oils.
jan 6-1m

Positively at Cost.

IN ORDER TO REDUCE OUR FALL AND Winter STOCK, We will sell the following GOODS at COST.

This is no Clap-trap or Humbug, but the goods will be sold as stated.

ALL MEN'S WEAR,

CONSISTING OF
CLOTHS,
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JEANS,
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ALL LADIES DRESS GOODS

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ALPACAS,
REPS,
POPLINETTS,
MOHAIR LUSTRES,
PLAIDS &c.

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ALL LINEN GOODS.

TABLE DAMASK'S
NAPKINS,
DOYLIES,
TOWELS, &c.,

Thanking the Public, this the beginning of a new year, for their liberal Patronage, in sustaining a *First Class Store* in their midst we promise to *continue our efforts* to sell "the *best goods* at the *lowest prices*"—and we call upon all to help us increase our sales—until it shall be said, that *half a million of dollars* has been sold in one year at least in one of their stores in Old Raleigh.

ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

Respectfully
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
jan 6-tf

NOTICE.

Valuable Houses and Lots at TRINITY COLLEGE.

IN pursuance of a *Decree of the Superior Court* of Randolph County, I shall proceed to sell, at public auction, at said near Trinity College, on Saturday, 5th day of March, next, the Real estate belonging to Dr. C. E. GRAVES, deceased, late of Trinity College, to wit: One very valuable and handsome two-story Dwelling-House with 3 acres of ground attached; one valuable two-story Brick House, and about two acres of ground attached thereunto; three or more unoccupied Lots, and one small, but very valuable Tract of Land in that immediate vicinity, adjoining Thomas English and others, and containing about Fifty Acres, the greater portion of which is *fine wood-land*, and most of the balance *superb bottom, fresh well-drained* and of rare fertility. One other Tract of 30 acres, adjoining the corporate limits of Trinity College, village.

Terms made known on day of sale
GEORGE A. FOUST, Adm'r.
Jan. 3-w4t

T. A. WILLIAMS & Co.
WHOLESALE GROCERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
No. 6, ROANOKE SQUARE
NORFOLK, VA.

Always on hand a full stock of all articles in the Grocery line at lowest market rates.
Strict personal attention to Consignments, and Returns promptly and regularly made.
April 17-m1y

BITTEN BY A DOG. Yesterday morning a small white boy, by the name of William Davis, connected with this office as an apprentice, had some business in the back yard, when the same ferocious dog that bit the watchman a few nights since, sprang upon the helpless boy and bit him in the thigh, inflicting a severe and, it may be, dangerous wound. Fortunately, a colored man was attending to some horses in a stable close by and hastened to his rescue, succeeding after some difficulty in taking the dog off. Little "Willie" received the attentions of a physician as soon as possible after the accident.—*Wil. Star.*

GLAD TO HEAR IT.—We learn that a number of officers connected with the U. S. Coast Survey have been ordered to our coast to inspect the entrances to our Harbor, the mouth of the Cape Fear River, &c., and that, if found practicable, an appropriation will likely be made by Congress to improve the navigation of the river by dredging, &c., at such points below the city as may require it.—*Wil. Star.*

CHARLOTTE RAILROAD MATTERS—WORK STOPPED.—We learn that President Sloan has ordered all work on the Eastern Division of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Railroad (the Wilmington end) to cease forthwith. This, of course, includes the work on the bridge over the Pee Dee.—*Wil. Journal.*

FOUND DEAD.—Harriet Miller, colored, living some eight miles from Salisbury, was found dead on the evening of the 27th, in her house, in bed. The Coroner being absent from town, Moses A. Smith, was specially appointed to act and proceeded to the place, with a jury, who, after an examination of the body, reported that the deceased died a natural death.—*Salisbury Examiner.*

A LITTLE BOY IN A SAD FIX.—Officer Sellars informs us that a son of Mr. Johnson, of this city, about 10 years old, was found lying in the water in a drain near the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, yesterday afternoon, in an insensible condition, being nearly drowned as well as in a fair way to be frozen to death. He was taken up by a colored man who, not knowing him, was on his way down the street with him, in a buggy, when Mr. S. saw and recognized the little fellow, and took him to his house, where he was rubbed and the proper restoratives administered. At last accounts he had somewhat improved, but the cause of his being in the sad plight in which he was discovered still remains a mystery.—*Wil. Star.*

Fire Proof Furniture is the latest scientific announcement in Germany. It is said that a German chemist, acting under a commission from a fire insurance company, discovered that impregnation with a concentrated solution of rock salt renders all timber fire proof. The salt, too, renders the wood proof against dry rot and the ravages of insects. It is proposed to turn this discovery to account in extinguishing flames, for a solution of it pumped out of a fire engine upon burning matter would be vastly more efficient than plain water.

A reverend gentleman in Alford district, Scotland, who habitually exercises a kindness to birds and animals, receives a daily visit from a robbin red breast. The other day the bird as usual entered his apartment, hopped on to a book in which he was writing, and seized hold of his pen holding it till writing had to be given up, and some attention paid to the little visitor.

RALEIGH PROVISION MARKET.

CORRECTED BY UPCHURCH & DODD,
GROCERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
MARKET SQUARE.

BACON, N. C.	21@23
" BALT. & WESTERN	19@25
BUTTER	35@40
COTTON	21
CORN	1 25
COFFEE	22@24
FLOUR	7 00@12 50
FODDER	1 00@1 25
LARD	21@23
MEAL	1 25@1 50
MOLASSES	19@21
RAGS	6@7
SALT—Fine	$ 2 25@3 50
SHEAF OATS	1 40

NOTICE.

APPLICATION will be made to the present Legislature for a charter incorporating the Tarboro' Street Railway Company.
Jan 3-3t

USE SHELL LIME, AND ENRICH YOUR WORN-OUT LANDS.

$7.50 per Ton of 2,000 pounds.

SHELL LIME

BECOMES FOOD FOR THE GROWING CROP.

SHELL LIME

Digests and Prepares the Food Already in the soil.

SHELL LIME

Absorbs Gaseous Fertilizers from the Atmosphere, and Retains them for the future use of the Plant.

SHELL LIME

Destroys or Neutralizes Substances in the Soil which are Poisonous or Injurious to the Crop.

SHELL LIME

IMPROVES THE MECHANICAL CONDITION OF THE SOIL.

Shell Lime produces larger crops for the outlay than any other renovator or fertilizer.

The low price at which we offer this fertilizer compels us to require cash to accompany all orders, or consignments of Produce.

We mine PERUVIAN GUANO and all the standard Manures furnished at lowest market rates. Cash orders solicited.

PRINCE & BUTLER,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
25 & 27 Commerce Street.
Jan 3-3m NORFOLK VA.

PRATT'S "ASTRAL" OIL.

UNLIKE MANY OTHER ILLUMINATING Oils, is *perfectly pure*, and free from all adulterations or mixtures of any kind. It emits no offensive smell while burning, gives a soft and brilliant light, and can be used with the same assurance of safety as gas. Chemists pronounce it the best and *safest* Illuminating Oil ever offered to the public; and Insurance Companies indorse and urge upon consumers the use of the "Astral" Oil in preference to any other. It is now burned by thousands of families, and in no instance has any accident occurred from its use; a lamp filled with it, if upset and broken, will not explode. *To prevent adulteration*, the "Astral" Oil is packed only in the Guaranty Patent Cans, of 1 gallon and 5 gallons each, and each can is sealed in a manner that cannot be counterfeited. Every package with uncut seal we warrant. Be sure and get none but the genuine article, Pratt's "Astra" Oil, for sale by dealers everywhere, and at wholesale and retail by the proprietors.

OIL HOUSE OF CHARLES PRATT
108 FULTON ST., NEW YORK.
P. O. Box 3,060.

Send for circulars, with testimonials and price lists. Enclose stamps for copy of the "Astral Light."
dec 14-3m

Special Notices.

AWAY WITH SPECTACLES.

Old eyes made new, easily without doctor or medicines. Sent post-paid on receipt of 10 cents.

Address, DR. E. B. FOOTE,
dec 15-deod3m 120 Lexington Ave., N. Y.

BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE.

This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the world; the only true and perfect Dye, harmless, reliable, instantaneous; no disappointment; no ridiculous tints; remedies the ill effects of bad dyes; invigorates and leaves the Hair soft and beautiful, black or brown. Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers, and properly applied at Batchelor's Wig Factory, No 16 Bond Street, New York.
nov 25-d1y

A Card.

A Clergyman, while residing in South America as a missionary, discovered a safe and simple remedy for the cure of Nervous Weakness, Early Decay, Diseases of the Urinary and Seminal Organs, and the whole train of disorders brought on by baneful and vicious habits. Great numbers have been cured by this noble remedy. Prompted by a desire to benefit the afflicted and unfortunate, I will send the recipe for preparing and using this medicine, in a sealed envelope, to any one who needs it, *free of Charge*.

Address, JOSEPH T. INMAN,
Station D., Bible House,
oct 6-d3m* New York City.

WORDS OF CHEER.

On the Errors of Youth and the **Follies of Age**, in relation to MARRIAGE AND SOCIAL EVILS, with a helping hand for the erring and unfortunate. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box E., Philadelphia, Pa.
sept 27-d&w3m

AWAY WITH UNCOMFORTABLE TRUSSES.—Comfort and cure for the Ruptured. Sent post-paid on receipt of 10 cents.

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$15 **GOOD AS GOLD.** $20

BUY THE ONLY GENUINE IMPROVED
OROIDE GOLD WATCHES,
MANUFACTURED BY
THE OROIDE WATCH COMPANY.

They are all the best make, Hunting Cases, finely chased; look and wear like *fine gold*, and are equal in appearance to the best gold watches, usually costing $150. *Full Jeweled Levers*, Gent's and Ladies' sizes, at $15 EACH.

OUR DOUBLE EXTRA REFINED Solid Oroide Gold Hunting Cases, Full Jeweled Levers, *are equal to $200 Gold Watches*; Regulated and *Guaranteed to keep correct time and wear and not tarnish*, with Extra *Fine Cases* at $20 each.

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AN AGENT SENDING FOR SIX WATCHES GETS AN EXTRA WATCH FREE. MAKING SEVEN $15 WATCHES FOR $90, OR SEVEN $20 WATCHES FOR $120.

ALSO ELEGANT OROIDE GOLD CHAINS, of latest and most costly styles for Ladies and Gentlemen, from 10 to 40 inches long, at $3, $4, $6, and $8 each, sent with watches at lowest wholesale prices. State kind and size of watch required, and to avoid bogus concerns order only from

THE OROIDE WATCH CO.,
148 Fulton Street, New York.
nov 25-d1w3m

TUTT'S VEGETABLE LIVER PILLS

Cures diseases of the Liver and Stomach

Tutt's Expectorant,

A pleasant cure for Coughs, Colds, etc.

Tutt's Sarsaparilla and Queen's Delight

The great Alterative and Blood Purifier.

Tutt's Improved Hair Dye,

Warranted the best dye in use.

These valuable preparations are for sale by
WILLIAMS & HAYWOOD,
jan 3-6m Raleigh, N. C.

KITTRELLS SPRINGS FEMALE COLLEGE.

GRANVILLE COUNTY N. C.

(WITHIN LESS THAN HALF MILE OF KITTRELLS DEPOT, RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD.)

THE TENTH SESSION OF THIS INSTITUTION will open the 3rd Wednesday in January, 1870.

BOARD AND ENGLISH TUITION, PER SESSION, $100.

During the past four years under the management of its present Principal, nearly 600 pupils have matriculated. *This fact speaks for itself.*

This property, formerly so celebrated as a watering place, has been purchased and is now used *only for school purposes.*

☞ Even invalid young ladies may here secure a thorough education, and at the same time the restoration of their health. ☜

The best instruction afforded in all the departments of female education.

Reference is made to its many patrons throughout the South.

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JAS. E. REDDICK,
jan 3-1m* Kittrells Springs, N. C.

FRANKLINTON ACADEMY, WILL resume duties 17th January 1870. Tuition per session from $12.50 to $35; half in advance. Board per month $13 to $15.

Apply for Circulars to
GEO. W. NEAL, A. M.,
dec 25-1m Principal.

NOTICE.

I DESIRE TO PURCHASE 20 OR 30 ACRES of Land not over two miles from this city. Would like a dwelling house on the premises. Any one having such a tract of land would do well to call and see me.

jan 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

LEATHER

1000 POUNDS SOLE LEATHER.
jan 1-tf G. T STRONACH.

GRIND STONES AND CUTLERY.
jan 1-tf G. T. STRONACH.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS,

AT THE BOOK STORE OF

ALFRED WILLIAMS

MAY be found an elegant assortment of

NEW BIBLES AND PRAYER BOOKS,
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SPLENDID CHROMO
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From $1 to $25

Together with a great variety of Juvenile and other presentation Books,

TOILET AND FANCY GOODS,

All at the very lowest Cash Prices.

ALFRED WILLIAMS,
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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

At Prices To Suit All.

WE OFFER TO OUR FRIENDS AND THE public our new stock bought after the decline in prices, and are enabled to sell our stock of new and fashionable goods lower than ever.

Beautiful Plaid Poplins,
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Merinoes,
DeLaines,
Alpacas,
Empress Cloths,
Serge Plaids
Mohairs,
Reps,
Prints, Prints, Prints,
Balmoral Skirts, Hoop Skirts and Corsetts,
Breakfast Shawls, Hoods, Nubias,
Cloaks, Arabs and Shawls,
Furs, Furs, Furs,
Alexander's Celebrated Kid Gloves,
25 doz. Kid Gloves at 50 cents.
Cloth and Berlin Gloves for Ladies, Misses and Gents.
A Beautiful assortment of Neck Ties.
Ladies and Gents Linen Collars and Cuffs.
Bleached and Brown Domestics,
Towels & Doylie's
Table Damask,
Flannel all grades and prices,
Gaiters, Polish Boots, and Walking Shoes for Ladies Misses and Children.
Boots and Shoes for Men and Boys,
A good supply of Hand made
Boots and Gaiters,
Cloths, Cassimeres, Jeans and Sattinetts,

We invite the attention of Merchants to our new stock.

PRIMROSE PETTY & NEWSOM.
dec 21-tf

BOOK STORE

ALFRED WILLIAMS,

[Successor to Williams & Lambeth.]

OPPOSITE THE NATIONAL BANK,

RALEIGH, N. C.

Keeps constantly for sale a large and general Stock of

BOOKS,

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CONSISTING OF

School, Standard and Miscellaneous Books, Account and Blank Books, Pulpit and Family Photograph Bibles, Testaments, Prayer and Hymn Books, Albums, Photographs and splendid Chromo Pictures, Stationery in great variety, Perfumery, Soap and Fancy Articles.

SABBATH SCHOOL & SONG BOOKS IN GREAT VARIETY.

Together with every article usually kept in the Book and Stationery line. His stock is

ALL NEW AND DESIRABLE,

(having no old stock,) and suited to the present wants of the trade, all of which will be sold at prices as low as can be had of any house in the State.

He will furnish any book at

PUBLISHERS' PRICES,

and will procure any book not on hand, on the shortest notice.

Having made arrangements with the Publishers, for the Depository of the NATIONAL SERIES OF

SCHOOL BOOKS,

adopted by the Board of Education, for the use of the Common Schools of this State, I am now prepared to furnish these Books to the Public Schools, at the prices stipulated with the Board, for which see the circular of the Superintendent of Public Instruction. Private Schools adopting these series of Books, will be furnished at the same rates.

Orders are solicited and will meet with prompt attention.

ALFRED WILLIAMS,
Bookseller and Stationer.
Raleigh, Oct. 13-d1aw&w3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

WALTER CLARK,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
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Practices in the Courts of Halifax, Martin, Bertie and Northampton. Also in the Federal and Supreme Courts.

☞ Collections made in any part of North Carolina.
sept 21-d&w3m

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WITH
Bishop & Branch,
GROCERS AND
General Commission Merchants
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Keep constantly on hand
SUGAR, COFFEE, MOLASSES, FLOUR, BACON, Lard and every article usually kept in the Grocery line, and for sale always AT LOWEST RATES. Will give our personal attention to the sale of COTTON, TOBACCO, GRAIN, and all Country Produce, and prompt returns made.

☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments of Produce in hand.

CASTER R. BISHOP. WM. J. BRANCH.
nov 26-w3m

Just Received.

10 GROSS RAIL ROAD MILLS SNUFF, IN Cans to the trade at Manufacturers prices.
dec 23-tf LEACH BRO'S.

For the Boys.

1,000 PACKS FIRE CRACKERS.
Dec 23-tf LEACH BRO'S.

1,000 LBS. O. D SOLE LEATHER.
Dec 23-tf LEACH BRO'S.

NOTICE.

HOLDERS OF BONDS of the City of Raleigh will present their Coupons at my office and interest due January 1st, 1870, will be paid.

DOLLY LEITCH,
dec 30-tf City Treasurer.

MONEY MARKET.

Greensboro' Money Market.

BUYING RATES OF BANK NOTES, &c., BY WILSON & SHORER, BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS, SOUTH ELM STREET, GREENSBORO, N. C.

Bank of N. C.	40c
" Cape Fear	37
" Charlotte	45
" Wadesboro	25
" Wilmington	75
" Roxboro	20
" Thomasville	20
" Graham	15
" Lexington	5
" Commerce	15
" Clarendon	4
" Fayetteville	10
" Washington	1
" Yanceyville	1
Merchants' Bank of Newbern	20
Farmers' Bank of Greensboro'	15
Miners' and Planters' Bank	4
Commercial Bank of Wilmington	70
Greensboro Mutual Ins. Co., (old)	3
Virginia Bank Notes average about	1
South Carolina "	30
Georgia "	25
N. C. Railroad Stock	25
N. C. R. R. Dividend Scrip	90

We buy and sell at liberal prices, Gold and Silver, North Carolina Bonds, United States Bonds and all other marketable paper.

Orders for Bank notes by debtors and Stockholders of Banks will receive prompt attention.

Returns for express packages of Bank notes &c., will be made on the day received, by check on New York or Baltimore, or in currency, as desired.

Life and Fire Insurance Policies issued in good Companies, at best rates.

Sept 10-3m*

DRY GOODS.

"GOLD IS DOWN."

GOODS ARE CHEAP.

2000 YARDS POPLIN ALPACAS Double Fold and Solid Colors for 25 cents, worth 50 cents.

2,500 YARDS WORSTED PLAIDS AT 20 cents, worth 50 cents.

BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED DOMESTICS,

AND

PRINTS,

AT CORRESPONDING

LOW PRICES.

OUR MOTTO

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"The best Goods at the lowest prices."

W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
dec 16-tf

ALL WOOL DeLAINS.

250 YARDS NEW AND BRIGHT COLORED DeLAINS,
ALL WOOL,
Just received.
W. H. & R. S. TUCKER & CO.
dec 16-tf

Fresh Arrival of Goods,

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

M. ROSENBAUM, has just received a full supply of

CLOAKS, SHAWLS,
NUBIAS, HOODS,
AND DRESS GOODS,

which will be sold at the lowest CASH prices.

M. ROSENBAUM,
No. 16 Fayetteville Street.
dec 14 d2m

A BEAUTIFUL LOT OF LADIES, MISSES, and children's furs such as Siberian Squirrel, French Coney Black Coney and skating furs, white, will be sold cheap.

M. ROSENBAUM.
dec 14-tf

NOTIONS ALL KINDS.

LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN'S Balmoral and Boulevard skirts, all patterns and prices.

M. ROSENBAUM.

A FULL LINE OF CASSIMERES, SATINETS, Kentucky Jeans and Kerseys.
dec 14-tf M. ROSENBAUM.

LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN'S GAITERS, Shoes and Bootees. Gents, Youths and Boys, Boots and Shoes.
dec 14-tf M. ROSENBAUM.

BLEACHED AND BROWN COTTONS AT all prices; Striped and Plaid Homespuns; Hickory Shirtings and Tickings all grades.
dec 14-tf M. ROSENBAUM.

READY MADE CLOTHING FOR GENTS and Boys, at very low figures.
dec 14-tf M. ROSENBAUM.

TRUNKS VALISES AND ENAMELLED bags
dec 14-tf M. ROSENBAUM.

M. ROSENBAUM'S No. 16, Fayetteville St. is the place to get cheap bargains.
dec 14 tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

MARCOM & ALFORD,

RED FRONT, SOUTH SIDE

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ARE RECEIVING, TO-DAY,

Flour, of various grades.
Mocha Coffee the best ever offered in this market, try it,
Java Coffee,
Laguira Coffee,
Rio Coffee,
Ex. C. Sugar,
C. Sugar,
P. R Sugar,
Slote Leather,
Upper Leather,
Crackers,
Cheese,
Kerosene Oil,
Tobacco by the Box. Genuine Durham Smoking Tobacco, &c., &c., &c.
dec 6-tf

JUST RECEIVED,
NORTH CAROLINA BACON,
HOG HOUND,
dec 8-tf MARCOM & ALFORD.

SCHIEFFELINS CELEBRATED FLAVORING EXTRACTS.
ANDREWS EXCELSIOR YEAST POWDERS, Soda and Pure Cream Tartar,
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24-tf Druggists.

YOUNG HYSON AND ENGLISH BREAKfast Teas.
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24-tf Druggists.

INDIGO, MADDER, ANILINE AND ALL Kinds of Dye Stuffs.
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24-tf Druggists.

GOLD AND COPPER BRONZE.
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24 tf Druggists.

MANSDENS PECTORAL BALM, ORIENTAL Bitters, Hostetters Bitters &c., &c.
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24-tf Druggists.

VIOLIN AND GUITAR STRINGS
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24-tf Druggists.

PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES.
FESCUD, LEE & CO.,
dec 24-tf Druggists.

FOR RENT.

For the year 1870, a HOUSE and LOT on Fayetteville Street, at present occupied by Col. E. G. Haywood.
W. H. JONES & CO.,
dec 31-tf. Cor. Merchants.

The Daily Sentinel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Salt, Salt, Salt.

100 SACKS OF THE BEST LIVERPOOL Salt, Factory filled, full weights, which we offer to Merchants and Farmers at low figures.
ALSO, a prime lot of Upper and Sole Leather at the lowest figures.
nov 27-tf B. F. CHEATHAM & BRO.

Tobacco, Tobacco.

A PRIME lot of Old Leaf Tobacco on hand. Also, Manufactured Tobacco of a superior quality for sale by
nov 27-tf B. F. CHEATHAM & BRO.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!!

WE ARE SELLING OUR STOCK OF Clothing at Cost; freight added; those wishing to purchase will miss a BARGAIN by not calling on us before purchasing elsewhere.
nov 27-tf B. F. CHEATHAM & BRO.

ÆTNA LIFE INS. CO.

BE READY TO PAY AT THIS BRANCH Office at Raleigh, policy 45,060, upon the life Col. G. L. Whitfield deceased $5,000 and also Ex-Gov. Jonathan Worth, policy No. 16,752, $5,000. Authorized parties please call on the subscriber and get the money.
W. H. CROW,
dec 25-tf Gen'l Ag't.

NOTICE.

APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE Legislature for a Charter to incorporate the "Forest Gold Mine and Sandy Creek Water Company," in Franklin county.
THOS. K. THOMAS,
WM. E. STURGIS,
and others.
dec 6-30d

G. E. LOUGEE,

(Successor to Lougee & Brother)
AT THE OLD STAND FAYETTEVILLE ST.,
Raleigh, N. C.

WILL KEEP CONSTANTLY ON HAND A large assortment of
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, TIN and SHEET IRON WARE, HARD and HOLLOW WARE, COOKING, HEATING, OFFICE, and PARLOR STOVES,
of the latest and most improved patterns.
Repairing in all its branches executed with neatness and dispatch.
HOUSE ROOFING in the best style and at short notice.
Having had considerable experience in this line, I feel assured in guaranteeing satisfaction in every instance.
Country Merchants will do well to examine my TIN WARE before purchasing North.
Don't forget the old stand and sign of the, LARGE RED COFFEE POT. dec 31-tf

DISSOLUTION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP.

The firm heretofore existing and doing business under the name and style of Lougee & Brother, in the City of Raleigh, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 15th of Dec. 1869.
Mr. G. E. Lougee is alone authorized to settle the business of the late firm, he assuming all the indebtedness, and receiving everything due the firm.
All persons having claims against us will present them, and those owing the firm will please come forward promptly and pay the same, as longer indulgence cannot be granted.
L. S. LOUGEE,
G. E. LOUGEE.

THE

LARGEST,

FINEST AND BEST

SELECTED STOCK OF FANCY GOODS

TOYS, NOTIONS, CUTLERY, &c.

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LESS THAN FACTORY PRICE,

SAVE TIME,
SAVE YOUR MONEY AND BUY
Your Goods at
PHIL. THIEM'S,
next door to the Express Office.
dec 10-1m

SOMETHING NEW

AND DELICIOUS,

THE

MUSHROOM OYSTER

AT

THIEM'S EXCHANGE Opposite

TUCKER HALL.

WHERE ALSO THE BEST OF WINES Liquors and Segars are sold and the polite and obliging Wm. Backalan will do all he can to accommodate those who will give him a call.
"TRY OUR MUSHROOM OYSTERS."
The polite and well known Mr. Backalan will do all he can to accommodate his friends.
dec 10-3m

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General Commission Merchants,

25 and 27, COMMERCE St.,

NORFOLK, VA.

CONSIGNMENTS OF ALL KIND OF Country Produce, and Cash orders for Grain, Provisions and General Merchandise solicited and best efforts used to give satisfaction.
Oyster Shell Lime delivered on cars at $7.50 per ton.
Fresh Ground Plaster $14 00 per ton.
Rockland Lime and Hay, at lowest Market rates.
nov 24-tf

MUSIC—PIANO.

Miss Bella Monaghan having attached herself for the present to St. John's School in this city, is now ready to give lessons on the Piano to those who may desire her services.
Miss Monaghan will be happy to wait on her pupils at their homes or at her residence. Application can be made at the North Carolina Bookstore. dec 16-tf

Notice.

APPLICATION will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina for a Charter, to incorporate "The North Carolina Central Iron and Manufacturing Company," in Guilford and the adjoining counties.
dec 23-d30t

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

WILL BE SOLD TO THE HIGHEST BIDder, on the 15th day of January next, at the Court House door in the Town of Louisburg, the valuable property known as the "Pierce Mills," with EIGHTY-EIGHT acres of land attached. This property is located in the Eastern part of Franklin county, near the "Forte Gold Mines" on "Sandy Creek"—A NEVER FAILING STREAM. The Mills are in excellent condition, and has an extensive and profitable patronage. The situation is an excellent one for a Cotton Gin and Store and with these added the property would prove a fortune for any energetic man in a few years. The Gin and Store Houses could be put up at very little cost, as there is an excellent Saw Mill attached to the other Mills with an abundance of timber on the land, belonging to the property. For further particulars apply to Mr. B. M. Pierce, who resides at the Mill, who will take pleasure in showing the property. Terms made known on day of sale.
W. H. PLEASANTS & CO.
dec 24-3tawtds

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The Equitable

LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY
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UNITED STATES

BURROUGHS & SPRINGS,
GENERAL AGENTS,
CHARLOTTE N. C.

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THE EQUITABLE IS FOR ITS YEARS, THE largest and most successful **MUTUAL CASH COMPANY** in the United States, and is now doing a **MUCH LARGER BUSINESS** than has ever been written by any company in the TENTH YEAR of its existence. All the profits are divided among the policyholders, thus furnishing THE BEST CLASS OF INSURANCE, at the lowest possible price. Each policy holder may receive his dividend **IN CASH** or apply them to the INCREASE OF HIS POLICY. Applications for Agencies must be addressed to the General Agents, giving references.

BURROUGHS & SPRINGS,
GENERAL AGENTS
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T. E. DARDEN, SPECIAL AGENT.
DOUGLASS BELL,
Ag't. Raleigh, N. C.
dec 3-eomly

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and every possible advantage consistent therewith.
It has ALWAYS given its patrons the benefit of every desirable feature in Insurance, and has not therefore been forced by competition to make reluctant concessions.
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DIVIDENDS ANNUALLY IN CASH.
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Special attention called to its system of TONTINE DIVIDENDS. Be sure and call on our competent and courteous Agents throughout the State before insuring elsewhere.

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Nov 1-d3m

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WHY IS IT BEST TO INSURE IN THE

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BECAUSE,

AMONG OTHER REASONS, IT IS THE ONLY COMPANY IN THE UNITED STATES WHICH PRESENTS THE GREAT FEATURE OF GUARANTEEING DEFINITE

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IN CASE A POLICY IS FORFEITED FOR NON-PAYMENT OF PREMIUM.

ALL POLICIES,

Are non-forfeitable after two full Annual Premiums have been paid.

The policy-holders of this Company may travel or reside where they choose—anywhere on the Globe.

The BROOKLYN LIFE has paid, and now pays to its policy-holders, LARGER DIVIDENDS than ever before paid by a Life Insurance Company.

DIVIDENDS ARE PAID IN CASH,

or applied to the permanent increase of the policy, or left with the Company to accumulate at interest, in either way, at the option of the policy-holder.

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HOUSE FULL AND MORE COMING!

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Just Received, and more on the way

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Worth of fine new goods, manufactured expressly for

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Canton Jeans,
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and an endless variety of dress goods. Not for cost, but short profits and quick sales.

All Goods sold for a Profit.

Part of a ship's cargo of cheap

Stockings, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.,

slightly damaged, for sale cheaper than was ever heard of till now.

Come quick, before they are all gone!
dec 20-1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

PROSPECTUS

OF THE

"PRIMITIVE BAPTIST."

WE PROPOSE TO RENEW THE PUBLIcation of the "*PRIMITIVE BAPTIST*" upon the following terms, commencing, if we shall receive sufficient encouragement, in the month of January, 1870:

The "*Primitive Baptist*" will be published semi-monthly on every Thursday before the second and fourth Sundays in each month, twenty-four numbers constituting a volume—for One Dollar and Fifty Cents in greenbacks, or One Dollar in gold, payable, in all cases, in advance.

All moneys sent to us, properly mailed, are at our risk.

Any person furnishing us a club of five subscribers shall be entitled to six copies, and for two or more clubs, the same rates.

Those belonging to the old Baptist Church who desire the *Primitive*, and feel unable to pay for it, by informing us of the fact, shall have the paper sent to them gratis.

All Editors of newspapers in different States, who will give this Prospectus an insertion in their respective papers, will confer a favor upon us, and will receive our sincere thanks.

Persons who are willing to act as Agents for the paper, will please inform us.

We earnestly solicit contributions to the columns of the *Primitive Baptist* from the brethren and sisters who feel disposed to write.

To defend Gospel Truth, and the keeping separate Church and State in matters of religion, is our motto, but protect all.

The *Primitive Baptist* will be published in pamphlet form of 16 large pages of reading matter. We may reserve a few columns for a list of Agents, and for the insertion of interesting news deaths and marriages.

Editors of religious papers are respectfully requested to publish this Prospectus as a favor.

Persons who wish to become subscribers, are requested to send their names without delay but are requested not to send the money until they receive the first number.

All letters must be addressed particularly to
BURWELL TEMPLE,
Pastor Primitive Baptist,
Raleigh, Wake Co., N. C.
dec 23-4t

PROSPECTUS

OF THE

SOUTHERN CONSERVATIVE.

THE UNDERSIGNED PROPOSES TO begin on the 6th January, 1870, the publication, in the City of Charlotte, N. C., a weekly newspaper to be called the

SOUTHERN CONSERVATIVE.

It is to be devoted to the vindication of the truth of Southern History, to the preservation of Southern Characteristics, to the development of Southern Resources, under the changed relations of the Labor System, and to the advancement of Southern Interests in Agriculture, Mining, Manufacturing and the Mechanic Arts.

In addition to the contributions from the old corps of writers of "The Land We Love," the services will be secured of thorough men of Science, and of Practical Farmers, Miners, Mechanists, &c.

TERMS—$3 00 per annum, in advance. The remittances in every case must be by Check, P. O. Order, or Registered Letter.
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HOLYDAY PRESENTS, JUST ARRIVED, A very handsome assortment of Photographs, Albums, Frames &c., in which pictures will be placed at reasonable prices. Photographs of every description executed in the very best style.
Call soon,
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ONE BEAUTIFUL ENAMELLED, LEATHER Top new Buggy, very cheap,
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IMMEDIATELY A COMPETENT MAN AND his wife to take charge of the Yarborough House.
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RIDGEWAY NURSERIES.

A MAGNIFICENT LOT OF
SOUTHERN AND ACCLIMATED
FRUIT TREES, GRAPE VINES,
CURRANTS, FIGS,
STRAWBERRIES
&c., &c.,
NOW OFFERED FOR SALE AT
THESE NURSERIES.

The Superintendent would respectfully inform the public generally, that the

Famous Greensboro' Nurseries

formerly owned, and successfully and satisfactorily conducted for several years by
WESTBROOK & CO.,
were transferred in 1868 to
RIDGEWAY, N. C.
and re-established on a permanent basis, and are now in a healthy condition.
He confidently relies upon the co-operation and assistance of his old friends and patrons, in the dissemination of the BEST AND MOST PROFITABLE TREES AND PLANTS, FOR OUR SOUTHERN CLIMATE. All trees warranted true to name.
November and first part of December, the first season for planting. Call and examine the trees in the nurseries and make selection.
Wholesale and Retail Price Lists sent free to applicants. Send orders to
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Ridgway, N. C.
B. F. WILLIAMSON Agent,
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LIFE INSURANCE.

AGE! SUCCESS! STABILITY!

ARE FOUND IN THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE

INSURANCE COMPANY,

ASSETS OVER $26,000,000. SURPLUS ASSETS OVER

LIABILITIES $7,000,000.

Furnishes Insurance Combining the advantages offered by all other Companies.

Further information concerning this old and reliable Company given by
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nov 27-tf

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OVER THE N. C. BOOKSTORE.

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Trial, Execution, Minute and Recording Dockets made to order.
North Carolina Reports and other Law Books bound in superior Law Binding.
Missing numbers of the Reports supplied and odd numbers taken in exchange for binding.
Dec. 1

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

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Dec 29-tf

A. D. TAYLOR,

Grocer and Commission Merchant.

No. 10 Hargett Street.

Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY SUPPLIES, Liquors Teas, Coffees, Spices, Wood and Willow Ware, Crockery, &c. feb 3-tf

New and Fashionable Jewelry.

H. MAHLER,

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HAVING JUST RECEIVED FROM NEW York a new and fashionable assortment of Jewelry, is offering the same at reasonable prices.
In his stock may be found 1-day, 8-day and 30-day clocks.
American, English and Swiss Watches.
A fine collection of walking canes, plain hickory, grape vine, rattan, or gold-headed ebony canes suited for every age and fancy.

Gold, Silver and Plated Ware

kept constantly on hand or made to order by the most skilful workmen.

Spectacles,

in plain, silver or gold bows, adapted to every defect of age or near-sightedness.

Watches

repaired, cleaned and put in

Complete Order

by the most skilful watchmakers.

Seals, Monograms and Silver Plate

engraved with neatness and dispatch.
Call and buy first-class goods at fair prices.
oct 21-3m

Upholstering in all its Branches.

MATTRASSES MADE AND REPAIRED.

RUFUS R. HARRISON & BROTHER, HAVE opened a shop in the Keim House, a few doors North of the Yarborough House, on Fayetteville Street, where they will be pleased to receive orders for work in their line.
They have employed one of the best Mattress Makers in the State, and will guarantee to give entire satisfaction to customers.
Prices at the very lowest living figures.
Carpets made and put down, walls papered, and all other work in that line done at shortest notice.
Nov 8 tf

Notice.

OFFICE NORTH CAROLINA LAND CO., RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 27, 1869.
This Company makes no charge for advertising Lands, Farms, Houses, Mines, &c., placed with them for sale. They only charge 5 per cent. on the amount obtained, and this not until the sale is perfected.
GEORGE LITTLE, President.
R. W. BEAR, Sec. & Treas.
Feb. 27-tf

GENUINE DURHAM SMOKING TOBACCO.

MANUFACTURED BY W. T. BLACKWELL,
SUCCESSOR TO
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GET the genuine, which has the picture of the big Durham Bull on the label. For sale at wholesale and retail of the manufacturers. Address as above.
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HYMANS & DANCY,

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SHELL LIME.

WE ARE PREPARED TO FURNISH PLANTERS WITH OYSTER SHELL LIME IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT.

ORDERS SOLICITED.

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Norfolk, Va.
Dec 16-1m

LIFE INSURANCE.

THE LEADING COMPANY IN NORTH CAROLINA IS

THE ÆTNA LIFE,

OF HARTFORD.

JULY 1ST, 1869.

Amount of Assets $12,000,000.00.

DIVISIBLE SURPLUS $2,675,999.48,

AND CONSTANTLY INCREASING.

ALL THE SURPLUS OF THE COMPANY DIVIDED AMONG THE ASSURED.

DIVIDENDS DECLARED AND PAID ANNUALLY ON THE CONTRIBUTION PLAN.

ALL POLICIES (AFTER TWO FULL PAYMENTS) NON-FORFEITABLE, AND SO EXPRESSED ON EACH POLICY.

No Restrictions as to Residence and Travel in the United States.

RATES LOWER THAN ANY OTHER COMPANY THAT PAYS DIVIDENDS TO POLICY-HOLDERS.

IT ISSUES ALL THE VARIOUS FORMS OF LIFE AND ENDOWMENT POLICIES.

LOSSES PAID PROMPTLY IN CASH.

LIST OF LOSSES ACTUALLY PAID BY THE ÆTNA LIFE INS. CO., AT THE BRANCH OFFICE, IN RALEIGH, BY THE HANDS OF W. H. CROW, GENERAL MANAGER OF THE STATE AND PART OF VA.

No.	15,273	$ 5,000
"	18,018	5,000
"	18,607	5,000
"	24,092	3,000
"	27,512	10,000
"	38,650	5,000
"	42,974	2,500
"	35,802	10,000
"	48,793	3,000
"	16,159	5,000
	and a cash Dividend of	78
"	43,676	2,000
"	43,330	5,000
"	51,136	2,000
"	14,598	10,000
"	40,266	5,000
"	42,975	5,000
"	22,301	15,00

And $5,000 ready to pay a loss of No. 34,161, so soon as the party authorized to receive the money appears.

The Company has been well tested throughout the State, as to its promptness in paying her losses, reliability, &c.

DIVIDENDS PAID AT THE END OF THE FIRST YEAR, AND ANNUALLY THEREAFTER.

Its ratio of expense to income is extremely low. This may be seen by reference to the Official Reports for 1868. For example:

EXPENSE ON THE $100 RECEIVED.

KNICKERBOCKER,	$16,54
EQUITABLE,	17,44
NORTH AMERICA,	21,16
BROOKLYN,	21,09
UNIVERSAL,	27,34
JOHN HANCOCK,	18,27
THE NATIONAL,	63,48
THE ÆTNA,	13,41

It has an IMPORTANT NEW FEATURE that has been copy-righted. According to this plan the rates are MUCH LOWER than in any other Company in the world.
Its ratio of Mortality is low. Its rates are very low. Its expenses are very low. Its dividends are large.
It insured more lives in the City of New York in 1868, than any other Company, except one. It issued more Policies in the United States than any other save one. It insured more lives in Canada than any other Company, British or American.
See what the HIGHEST INSURANCE AUTHORITY in this country says. In the June number of the *Insurance Times*, of New York, the following opinion was expressed:

"If there is any great benefit in mutual association, any great advantage to be derived from scientific organization and a chartered source, tending to mitigate the sufferings, lessen the privations, and add to the peace, security, and happiness of humanity, we are prepared to show that these blessings flow, in all their fullness and purity, from this excellent, powerful, and flourishing Company, the ÆTNA LIFE, of Hartford."

"No institution has brought more prompt, full, and grateful relief to the hearths of the bereaved and desolate, and none has been more uniformly distinguished for the enterprise, wisdom, and equitable liberality with which it has fulfilled the purposes of its formation."

"Its success has been almost unbounded and beyond all precedent. Eight years ago, in 1861, it issued only 589 policies, received an income of seventy-eight thousand dollars, and possessed net assets amounting up to something over two hundred and eighty-one thousand dollars; but last year, 1868, it granted 13,237 new policies, more than any other Company, except the Mutual Life; received an income exceeding six million dollars, and had amassed solid, securely and profitably invested net assets amounting to over Ten Million Three Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars. And this wonderful ratio of growth has been sustained in 1869."

GENERAL STATE SOLICITORS,

T. R. KINGSBURY. EDWARD JOHNSON.

W. H. CROW,

General Agent for North Carolina and Virginia South of the James.

OFFICE—RALEIGH, N. C.

W. H. McKEE, MEDICAL EXAMINER,
aug 18-d3w1mwf3

AGENTS WANTED. AGENTS WANTED. $75 to $200 per month male and female, to sell the celebrated and original Common Sense Family Sewing Machine, improved and perfected; it will hem, fell, stitch, tuck, bind, braid and embroider in a most superior manner. Price only $15. For simplicity and durability, it has no rival. Do not buy from any parties selling machines under the same time as ours, unless having a Certificate of Agency signed by us, as they are worthless Cast Iron Machines.
For Circulars and Terms apply or address,
H. CRAWFORD & CO.
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GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT

AND

AUCTIONEER,

RALEIGH, N. C.

GRATEFUL FOR PAST FAVORS, RENEWS his pledge to serve his old friends and the public to the best of his ability. Special attention to the purchasing, Sales, or renting of Real Estate, Personal Property, Cotton and all kinds of Country Produce and Merchandise.
sept 18-d1f

Mayor's Office.

CITY OF RALEIGH, Dec 11th, 1869.

NOTICE is hereby given that Books will be opened at the Mayor's Office on Wednesday the 22d day of December 1869, to allow citizens who have changed their residences and those that have arrived at twenty-one years of age since the last election, an opportunity to register.
The Books will be kept open for ten days.
By order of the Board of Commissioners.
WM. H. HARRISON, Mayor.
dec 18-td

STOP THIEF!

$25 REWARD.

STOLEN FROM MY STABLE, NEAR ANDERson's Store, on the night of the 29th of Nov. last a blood BAY HORSE, seven years old, with black legs, mane and tail, very heavy, has two or more white spots on one side of his back caused by the saddle, and has gear marks on the sides; is barefooted and twists his hind feet out a little in walking. I will give $20 for the delivery of the horse or $25 for the delivery of the horse and thief to me or information so that I can get them. My address is Anderson's Store, Caswell Co., N. C.
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dec 18-tf

FOR SALE.

A handsome Residence with 2 acres of ground attached, dwelling House has 5 Rooms, Kitchen and good Well of Water.
W. H. JONES & CO.
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T. H. COATES,

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With the knowledge of all kinds of material in the State of North Carolina for the last fifteen years, he hopes to give entire satisfaction to all who require his services. Thankful for past favors he hopes by strict attention to business to receive a share of public patronage in future.
Raleigh, Nov 6-tf

GEORGE W. WYNNE & CO.,

Livery, Sale and Exchange Stables,

Wilmington St., opposite Market Square.
RALEIGH, N. C.
Horses for sale. Carriages and horses for hire. Parties sent to any point desired. Horses boarded on reasonable terms.
sept 2-d6m

FOR SALE.

ONE TEN BARREL STILL AND FIXTURES, Also, one Good Wagon and Harness, with a first rate team of Four Mules, young, strong and Sound.
If desired, the purchaser can run the Still where it now stands, in the heart of a good Turpentine country. For further particulars address,
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